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### THE Tomorrow

In some parts of Britain, doctors are counselling couples on how to have healthy babies, but can wholesome food and exercise really make a difference? The Wednesday Page investigates. Also Joanna Lumley reflects on her non-diary and The Times Cook advises: start the day with a

kipper. On the Spectrum Page, Caroline Moorehead examines what is being done to cope with the recent alarming growth of drug addiction

Other features include Michael Meacher on the Tories' "One Nation" myth.

### Shultz no nearer a solution

After a week of his delicate Middle East peace mission. Mr George Shultz, US Secretary of State, finds he has removed Tin. none of the major obstacles voti. holding up a withdrawal from issue Lebanon. His team is also rembarrassed at Israeli press claims that America may hold back jet fighter technical know-

### **TUC** enters poll battle

TUC leaders have entered the election battle with an on-rlaught on the Government for misleading" voters about the ton and "true nature" of the trade unions Page 2

### Walesa anger

Mr Lech Walesa, leader of the outlawed Solidarity organiza-fion, condemned police viol-ence during the May Day riots in Poland and said such methods would lead to pro-Solimethods would lead to pro-darity demonstrators retaliating Page 5

### Police Bill plea

Leading British directors in the theatre, films, television and radio, have asked the Home Secretary to amend the police Bill, fearing possible seizure of material which could disrupt production Page 2
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### Doubt over sub

A Norwegian admiral expressed doubts about the existence of a mystery submarine at which missiles and depth charges were vessel could have withstood such an attack, he said Page 4



### Holiday appeal

Mr Michael Montague, chairman of the English Tourist Board, has suggested that the three spring Bank holidays should be moved to the summer to increase the chances of some sunshine Back Page

go ahead with his scheme to merge Oxford United and Reading despite Oxford coun-cil's offer of a site for a £6m

Computer Horizons: A new system for Trinity House; How to introduce a computer to your workforce; Robots with "eyes"

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V. J. Emerson and Mr M. D. J. Leading articles: General Election date: Police Bill Features, pages 8, 9, 11

Anthony Lewis on the problem of El Salvador, W. J. Burroughs examines that familiar British topic, the weather. Spectrum: Heroin - harvesting the flowers of evil. Fashion: Back to the

Obituary, page 14 Professor Tom Harris. Pro-fessor W. H. J. Childs

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### CND prepares action against cruise companies

The Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament (CND) is to extend its programme of non-violent direct action to companies involved in cruise missile projects and, through the National Savings Bank, to the Government.

The CND council has approved a programme aimed at Tarmac, the builders of the cruise missile silos at Greenham Common, Berkshire, and at MAN-VW, the West German company that is manufacturing the launch vehicles for the missiles.

On a slightly longer time scale it is planning to encourage supporters to withdraw their money from the National Savings Bank in a given period, say a week, to make a financial protest to the Government

The CND is anxious to broaden its non-violent direct action so that, as well as its blockading tactics, which run the risk of legal action, it will the risk of legal action, it will and we are thinking of publish-include actions involving less risk for those taking part.

and we are thinking of publishing 'Wanted' posters with a picture of the launchers."

The immediate target is likely to be Tarmac, one of Britain's largest private house-builders, a large contractor for motorways and other public works projects. and a key supplier of building materials, including some sold in do-it-yourself shops.

The tactics will range from local groups trying to persuade others among Britain's 154, mainly Labour, nuclear-free zones to follow the London Borough of Southwark in blacking Tarmac as a contrac-tor, or selling any shares they have to coordinated phone-ins and letter-writing campaigns to Tarmac and its subsidiaries, as well as local pickets and

demonstrations. Campaign, the CND's newsletter, suggests that groups might buy shares in companies and use their annual general meetings to raise the nuclear weapons issues. It says advice Monday.

has been sent to local groups identifying companies in their areas that are thought to have links with Tarmac. The tactics being adopted are

similar to those used in the 1970s by the anti-apartheir movement against Barclays Bank and other businesses involved in South Africa.

Local groups are being advised to try to persuade companies of their point of view before taking action.

Miss Christine Kings, the CND's campaigns organizer, said that the CND would be in the conduction of the touch with West German peace groups about MAN-VW, a manufacturer of lorries, vans and buses.

"We believe that the launchers could be brought in within the next month or two", she said. "There will be direct action against the launchers themselves by blockading roads, and that kind of thing

According the Campaign, MAN-VW has about 120 distributors in Britain and similar action to that planned against Tarmac and its subsidiaries may be planned against

Action aimed at the Govern-ment's National Savings Bank was likely to take longer to organize. Miss Kings said, and the possibility of asking a bank to open a "peace account" for people to transfer their money into, was being considered.

At the weekend the CND

executive gave its final approval to the Christian CND event planned for Pentecost at the USAF FI-II base at Upper Heyford, Oxfordshire, It is planned to hold a festival over the May 21-23 period and Christian service, to which United States servicemen will be invited, with some action, possibly a blockade, on the

### Irving's backing for diaries welcomed

By Our Foreign Staff

Stern, the West German magazine which is publishing the Hitler diaries, yesterday welcomed the disclosure that Mr David Irving a leading critic of their authenticity, had now changed his mind.

A spokesman for the magazine in Hamburg, which begins serialization of the diaries later this week said that Mr Irving's announcement during the weekend that the balance had tipped in favour of the authenticity of the diaries was "good fortune". Mr Irving changed his views after meetings in Germany last week with the staff of the magazine, including the editor, Herr Pieter Koch, and Herr Gerd Heidemann, who dis-covered the diaries. He was able to examine some of the

documents. Speaking in London, Mr Irving said that he would be publishing the diaries of Dr Theodore Morell, Hitler's physician until the last days of his life in the Berlin bunker. In these documents, which Mr Irving said he had found in the Washington archives in the United States, it was revealed

Bucnos Aires (AP. AFP) - In

that Hitler was suffering from Parkinson's disease.

"People suffering from Parkinsonism tend to write smaller as they go along a page and they slope the lines downwards", Mr

"Stern magazine showed me an entry in the diaries dated April 16, 1945, and the signs were there. The writing was sloping downwards regardless of the page rulings, and the script got smaller from left to right. I do not think a forger could possibly have known this."

Mr Irving said that be believed the balance had tipped in favour of authenticity. The Parkinsonism was really the clinching point."

He stands by his assertion, however, that among the documents are some forged papers. And he does not believe that the documents were rescued from a crashed aircraft in what is now East Germany, as

He believes they have come to light from a network of exfascists or former SS officers still living in Germany,

Argentine 'victory' pledge



Champion again: Steve Davis holding the cup aloft after regaining the world pro-fessional snooker title in a onesided final which ended at the Crucible Theatre, Sheffield, yesterday. He beat Cliff Thorburn, of Canada, another former champion, by 18 frames

to six in a match which could to six in a march which could have lasted 35 frames. Thorburn, who showed clear evidence of mental and physical strain at the end, had heard during his semi-final that his wife, who had been expecting a baby in October, had suffered a misconvision. miscarriage. Report, page 24

### Rescuer dies saving injured climber

A member of a mountain escue team died at the weekend

rescue team died at the weekend sheltering an injured climber with his own body in a rock fall on the Brecon Beacons:

Alichael Rudall, age; 58, a member of Bridgend Mountain Rescue Team, had gone to the rescue of two Venture Scouts who had fallen on the steep north slope of Pen Y Fan, 2,900 feet high and the highest point of the Beacons. Police said that the weather during the rescue the weather during the rescue was atrocious with strong, cold winds, poor visibility and snow on the high ground.

In the past five years a number of hill walkers and three oldiers of the SAS Regiment on exercise had died in the area, caught out by the severe conditions.

The accident happened when three Venture Scoots from Sutton Coldfield in Birmingham became separated from their main group in the bad weather on Sunday afternoon. They were members of a group of 24 scouts on a route-finding exercise.

Martin Leather, aged 16, of Carnwath Road and Peter Hughes, aged 17, of Monmouth Drive, both Sutton Coldfield, were said to have fallen 300ft down a steep slope. A third scout, Anthony Hill, aged 19, of Coppice View Road, Sutton Coldfield, was with them as conditions on the mountain deteriorated severely. In spite of leg injuries suffered in the fall, Mr Hughes went for help.

Rescue coordinators eventually called in six rescue teams with 72 men and an RAF helicopter. They fought for 12 hours to bring the injured down to a point where they could be flown to bospital. The body of

Mr Rudali, who was married with an eight-year old daughter, was brought down the mountain vesterday. Police were trying to confact his parents, who are believed to be on holiday in

First reports said that Mr. Rudall and Mr Davyl Campling, aged 27, an experienced climber who had volunteered to help in the rescue, were the first to reach the two scouts. They were helping them to safety when a rock fall on the mountainside

Mr Rudall sheltered Martin Leather with his body. He and Mr Campling were both hit by rocks. Mr Peter Hazeldine of Talbot Green, Pontychun, another mountain rescue team member and Mr Hill, were both treated in hospital for exposure. The winchman of the RAF helicopter said the artifit had taken 12 hours to complete because of the bad weather. "It is not uncommon in the Beacons even in May and the mountain rescue teams did a great job," he said.

A senior police officer at Brecon said yesterday: "It was not a fit place for children. Conditions up there were atro-cious with very bad visibility and gusting winds. It is not against the law and we cannot stop people going there but the experienced teams who know the area have their own feelings about the sense of it."

He said the group of Venture Scouts involved in the accident had not reported their proposed route and estimated time of arrival back to the police before venturing out.

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### Strauss seeks policy speech

mand after summoning Cabinet ministers from his Christian Social Union (CSU) party, which is engaged in a bitter row over foreign policy with the Liberal Free Democrats (FDP) in Herr Kohl's coalition Government

Herr Strauss told reporters the changes he wanted were "not dramatic", but declined to

The dispute has come to a head following the death last month of West German, Rudolf Burkert, aged 46, while he was being interrogated by East German frontier police.

Communist brutality. Herr Strauss called the

demands for tougher West

### must go, says Bow Group

By Our Political Reporter

The Prime Minister has been urged by the Bow Group to replace Mr William Whitelaw as Home Secretary with a more "abrasive" personality.

A highly critical assessment of Mr Whitelaw's performance at the Home Office in Crossbow, the journal of the Conservative group, says that one of the Conservative groups are the Conservative groups. the Government's greatest failures has been its record on law and order. It blames the Home Secretary for failing "to get on top of his department".

The attack, in a leading article headlined "Mr Whitelaw's failings", is an echo of the discontent felt for some time in Conservative right wing circles about the Government's about the Government's response to rising crime figures, and highlights the dilemma that will face Mrs Margaret Thatcher if she wins a second term.

In that event she will be under strong pressure from the right to replace Mr Whitelaw with a hardliner, and Mr Norman Tebbit is spoken of as the most likely candidate.

But Mr Whitelaw, who has been one of Mrs Thatcher's loyal ministers in spite of his doubts about economic strat-egy, would be opposed to having Mr Tebbit as his successor. It would be hard for the Prime Minister to ignore his

The Bow Group article contrasts Mr Whitelaw's record with the views he expressed as shadow Home Secretary under the Labour Government. He stated then: "A government that cannot protect its own citizens from attack in the streets of its towns and cities, that cannot protect property from damage or homes from intrusion has failed to live up to the basic duties of government".

### Whitelaw Foot refuses to adopt low election profile

plain his determination to lead the Labour Party from the front during the general election campaign, despite his low personal rating in the opinion polls.

Suggestions have been growing that Mr Denis Healey, Labour's deputy leader, whose greater electoral popularity is acknowledged within the party, more prominent role during the confidence in the outcome. campaign than is normally associated with his post. That is not discounted, but it

has become clear that such a decision will not be at the expense of Mr Foot adopting a lower profile. He has taken on a heavy programme of speaking engagements and radio and television interviews, over the next few weeks and, having overruled the opposition of some of his advisers and members of the Shadow Cabinet. will appear on Question
Time, the BBC current affairs
programme, on Thursday with
Mr David Steel, the Liberal
leader, and Mr Michael Heseltine, the Secretary of State for
Defence.

Some of Mr Foot's closest confidants have argued with him that, in the same way that Mrs Margaret Thatcher has refused to appear in a televised debate with him during the election campaign, he. for presentational reasons should not be seen to be debating with less senior figures. They argued that he risked undermining the authority of his post as leader of the Opposition.

But Mr Foot refused to be moved, believing that, with the odds in favour of a June election, he should take every opportunity available to win votes and press home the message that Labour is prepared whenever the poll is called.

Mr Michael Foot has made Friday), and next Monday he is due to appear on Panorama, the television programme on BBC!

Organizers of the joint meeting at Kingston upon Thames at the weekend between Labour's National Executive Committee and Trade Unions for a Labour Victory (TULV) are hoping that it too will convey to the public acknowledged within the party, firm evidence of Labour sould be expected to take a readiness for the election and

Mr Foot and Mr David Basnett, chairman of the TULV, will open the first session on Friday afternoon. Mr Healey, at Mr Foot's suggestion, will open the second session, which will be about the campaign and will include an analysis prepared by party experts of the previous day's local election results and their local election results and their implications for general election

strategy. Labour leaders now firmly expect the election to be in June and already half of the money in its election chest, about £600,000, is spoken for -£200,000 for the present advertising campaign and £100.000 for a special effort in the marginal constituencies.

Pre-election sparring between the parties continued over the holiday weekend. Yesterday Dr David Owen, the SDP's deputy leader, mocked suggestions that the Tories would reform the rating system after the election. "One of the fine old traditions of British general elections is Mrs Thatcher's plastic dispos-able promise to reform the rates", he said.

Shopkeepers were instructed by their delegates at the annual conference of the National Association of Shopkeepers in Biackpool yesterday not to vote at the general election unless Mrs Thatcher promises to luties of government.

He is also to give interviews reform the rating system (the to Radio Luxembourg, to Press Association reports).

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### Livingstone the bogeyman

Although there are no elec-tions in London on Thursday, Mr Ken Livingstone of the Greater London Council is much in evidence - as a

bogeyman. In Labour-controlled cities from Bristol to Manchester the suddenly showered down on opposition is claiming that if returned to power moderate Labour councillors will be replaced by Livingstone clones, now waiting conspiratorially in the wings. That is an exaggeration, yet in some cities the Labour Party's ideological divides have undoubtedly spilled over into local government.

In Manchester interest focuses not on the outcome of the election - Labour will remain firmly in control - but on the left-right balance that emerges among the new Labour group that will meet for the first time and Wales outside London will on Friday In Liverpool. Sir Trevor Jones, the Liberal leader, claims the poll is a fight between Liberals and Militant tration of Labour's electoral

have had no defectors, no expulsions, merely vigorous debate", Mr Patrick Doyle, Nottingham and Sheffield, ruling Labour councillors are impregnable position asking for, and are likely to get.

Labour in Cardiff is less what Mr Doyle called "endorse-sanguine. Privately, party officials are the city elections as a

Tendency. strength.
Elsewhere the big city-Labour Looking at the Sheffield productive for Mrs Thatcher". Mr David Blunkett, the council debate". Mr Patrick Doyle, leader said, "unless we did very leader of Hull City Council said. badly". That is not expected. There, and in such cities as On the contrary, Labour expects marginal improvements in its

ment of Labour rule in a major city; the successful working of sharp test of its strength in socialism in a municipality. South Wales, for there are fewer Labour organizers are confident solid Labour seats because of solid Labour seats because of that their dominance of the boundary alterations.

### Tuite loses appeal in Dublin

Gerard Anthony Tuite, the IRA man who escaped from Brixton prison in December, 1980, lost his appeal in Dublin against conviction for a terrorist-linked offence in London.

The republic's Court of Criminal Appeal also refused Tuite permission to appeal to the Supreme Court.

The decision effectively means that the law under which Tuite became the first person to be convicted in the Irish Republic for a terrorist offence in England has been further

Judges have now decided the republic can no longer be used as a haven by Irish terrorists on the run from British police.

According to lawyers, the way is clear for further prosecutions in the republic of Irish citizens sought for similar offences anywhere in Britain.

Tuite, from Mount Nugent, co Caven, is serving 10 years in the top-security Portlaoise prison. The 27-year-old IRA leader had challenged his conviction on seven grounds. including the argument that the special criminal court, which sat without a jury, jurisdiction to try him for offences committed outside the republic.

He was convicted on a charge of possessing explosives at a flat at Trafalgar Road, Greenwich, South London with intent to endanger life and property between July, 1978, and March, 1979

trial at the Central Criminal Court he escaped from Brixton prison. He was recaptured in March last year by Irish detectives in a flat in Drogheda,

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land and sea ceremonies Argen-tines yesterday marked the first anniversary of the sinking of the cruiser General Belgrano, tor-pedoed by a British submarine with the loss of 321 men in the Falkiands war. Admiral Rubén Franco,

Commander of the Navy, promised to "offer our triumph on the day of final victory" to those who died onboard the General Belgrano." This is our goal and we will not falter until it is obtained. We will not forget that the British usurper sought the support of its powerful ally in order to win," he added in a reference to US backing of the British in the war.

Ceremonies marking the General Belgrano's sinking were scheduled to take place at the spot where the cruiser went down after being hit by two torpedoes fired by the British nuclear submarine Conqueror. Commemorative masses were held at Roman Catholic churches and military chapels.

The Argentine navy sent the pilot ship Somellera to the area with floral wreaths to be thrown on the water. An Air Force Hercules C130 also was sche duled to fly over the spot, dropping floral tributes. A similar ccremony was planned



Tribute's organizer: Señor Osvaldo Destefanis, going on board the Lago Lacar in Buenos Aires harbour.

Argentine war dead on board. The Lago Lacar, which left Buenos Aires on Saturday on a Senor Osvaldo Destefanis, said trip sponsored by the Centre of on Sunday that he had sent Volunteers for the Fatherland, messages to several governhad originally planned to ments asking that they mediate attempt to visit Argentine with Mrs Margaret Thatcher graves in the Falklands in "so that she will change her

chant ship Lago Lacar, steaming the Lago Lacar to take part in south with 50 relatives of ceremonies honouring the dead on board the Belgrano. The organizer of the trip,

defiance of the British auth- inhumanitarian and irrational orities. The Argentine military attitude" and allow the relatives junta forbade the visit to the to visit the graves. on board the Argentine mer- islands on Friday, but invited Bluff Cove inquiry call, page 3 Eastern bloc.

### changes in Kohl Bonn (Reuter) - Herr Franz Josef Strauss said yesterday that

he wanted changes in an important policy speech to be made by Chancellor Helmut Kohl before the Bundestag tomorrow.

Herr Strauss made his

give details. He added that, in general, his party's point of view was reflected in the speech.

Marks on his head and neck led to a press campaign alleging

Burkert affair a murder case and has used it to back his German policies towards the

### Man, 25, is accused of killing girl

A man aged 25 was charged last night with the murder of Suzanne Thatcher, aged 18, whose naked and battered body was found vesterday in the grounds of Cirencester Park. Lord Bathurst's estate near Cirencester, Gloucestershire.

A patrolling deer warden found the body of Miss Thatcher. Det Chief Supt Frank Coombs, of the county police, said that she had been strangled.

Miss Thatcher, from Blaenau Ffestiniog, Gwynedd, was a groom 10 Mr Christopher Marson, a farmer from Fairwood, Swansea, whose family was competing at the Amberley Horse Show at Cirencester Park. Capt Mark Phillips was one of the competitors.
Miss Thatcher's body was found a few yards from the main arena and the caravan

### where she was staying. Timex sit-in ultimatum

The mamagement of Timex has told the 450 workers involved in a four-week occupation at its factory in Milton. Dundee, that they will be dismissed today unless they indicate that they are prepared

to end the occupation. A spokesman for the workers' committee said there was still solid support for the occupation and a solution could be reached only if the management with-drew notice of compulsory redundancies and considered restarting watch manufacture.

### Greenpeace in whale protest

Whale and dolphin shows have been interrupted at Wind-sor Safari Park and Brighton Aquarium in holiday protests which launched a 1983 Greenpeace campaign against the capture, trade and display of

wild whales and dolphins. Protesters with banners asked the audiences to boycott the performances. At Clacton Pier on Saturday, 200 demonstrators picketed a killer whale show before marching through the

### Caning criticism for Government

The National Union of Teachers accused the Government yesterday of acting frivo-lously and indecisively over whether caning in schools should continue.

The criticism from Mr Fred Jarvis, the union's general secretary, came as his union published a working party report that sets out advice to the union's 240,000 members on alternatives to caping.

### Protest over aid for marchers

The governors of Ullswater protested to Mr William Whitelaw, the local MP, over a decision by Cumbria's education committee to allow the 70 unemployed walkers on the People's March for Jobs to stay at the school last night.

The walkers, whose march is organized by the TUC, had come 20 miles yesterday from

### 'Cheap TV for the frightened?

Pensioners who are in effect housebond because they are afraid of being robbed in the street should get cheaper tele-vision licences. Miss Betty Millard, president of the National Federation of Old Age l'ensions Associations said in

Llandudno yesterday. Television was not a luxury for such people, she told the icderation's conference. "Many thousands of our elderly are being made housebound not because of physical disability but because of the breakdown of

### Victim clubbed

Mr Fred Honour, a betting shop owner, was clubbed with an iron bar by two masked in Eastfield Road, Burnham, near Slough, yesterday.

Leading directors in British theatre, films, television and

radio have written to Mr William Whitelaw, the Home

### **TUC** enters election fray with attack on Prime Minister

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

electioneering last night with a le. preemptive propaganda strike The TUC insists that it is not not by postal ballot - people

on the subject of trade union trying to whitewash the trade democracy. They intend to union movement. "Unions are and vote for him (or one of his persuade voters that the not perfect, organizations, that Government has got it all men and women have wrong about the unions. In a fashioned never are", it confierce political onslaught on the cedes. "Not even governments. Prime Minister, the unions said: When over 10 million people 'every one of us has fewer come together, inevitably they rights and much less economic will occasionally show some security than we had when Mrs weaknesses and frailties as well Thatcher came to power in as strengths.

The pamphlet describes in The attack is made in a detail the work that the unions 25.000-word publicity pam- do in improving conditions of phlet, Hands Up For Democ- employment and the social life racy, which indicts the Cabinet of Britain, and argues that for misleading the electorate unions are the way that about the true nature and role ordinary people try to claim for of the unions. In a foreword. Mr themselves some power over Len Murray, general secretary the decisions that shape their of the TUC, says: "I get angry lives, when I hear some of the misrepresentations about the lin a clear attempt to offset the impact of proposals for

the impact of proposals for reform canvassed by the Sec-retary of State for Employment work done by British unions especially when they come from Cabinet ministers or even the Prime Minister herself." in his recent Green Paper, the The document insists that the put the unions into a strait-unions do not just represent the jacket. He seems to think that people of Britain. "They are the postal ballots for senior posts people of Britain. So when Mrs are the only "pure" form of Thatcher and Mr Tebbit attack democracy. "But Mr Tebbit the unions, they are not having isn't elected that way. He owes a go at some evil abstraction, his position as Secretary of State must rate some secret conspiracy. They for Employment to a decision democrats."

rejected. Many workers have

The threat of a strike at

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Holiday drive: Some of the entrants in the Old

Commercial Vehicles Rally which was held in Battersea

Park, London, yesterday. (Photograph: Bill Warhurst).

Theatre directors join police Bill protest

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Hospital fire

plans has been lifted.

Senior management

tiating committee agreed on Friday to set up a working party

to investigate the introduction

of the new methods at the

Merseyside works. Industrial

Twenty-three patients were

removed from a ward at the

Abraham Cowley hospital,

Cherisey, in Surrey, yesterday

TUC leaders started their are attacking the British peop- by the Prime Minister. And he was elected MP for Chingford,

> "Why should unions be different? Why should the various democratic systems postal ballots, voting at work, voting at union branches which unions have developed all be reduced to one system? Is it because he believes that a voting paper filled in over the breakfast table and a copy of that morning's paper will favour the candidates he would like to see elected?"

The TUC document examines the level of democracy in other institutions, and finds they are less democratic than the union movement. Company meetings of shareholders give "precious little" access to decision making "Mr Tebbit is fond of deriding union car park meetings, but does he really hold up shareholders' meetings which could sometimes almost be held in a phone box, as a paragon of democracy for the trade union movement to emulate? On the Tebbit scale, or any other scale, companies must rate as extremely poor

### Tilbury dock strike inquiry to reconvene

By Barrie Clement, Labour Reporter

The inquiry into the eight- for £22,500 lump sum payweek strike by Tilbury dockers ments.

is reconvening today in an A compromise proposal recattempt to complete hearings ommended by shop stewards to before a mass meeting on a mass meeting on April 7 was

Thursday. rejected. Many workers have It had been hoped that the indicated they would be precommittee under Professor Sir pared to accept a "phasing in" Wood would have fin- of parity, but the authority has ished taking evidence last said that it cannot concede the Friday. But it was decided that principle. more material was needed.

Sir John will now probably Ford threat lifted have to work through tonight to complete his report in time, the findings of which will not be binding.
The strike by 2,300 dockers is

over parity with clerks and has been, according to Mr John Black, chief executive of the Port of London Authority, a commercial catastrophe.

in a letter to employees. Mr Black wrote that berths would have to be closed and jobs lost because of the stoppage, even if the men went back to work at the the end of the week.

The industrial action has cost the authority about £5m, action was to be taken from according to Mr Black, thus May 13, the planned date for wiping out a budgeted surplus this year of around £2m to £3m.

But the impact of Mr Black's warnings about job losses may have been blunted by the fact that more than 900 of the 4,000 dockers employed by the authority and private riverside

companies have already opted

### Tussle over Commons strike right

By Our Labour Reporter

Union leaders representing 850 workers in the House of Commons are fighting an attempt to reimpose a

strike pact.

The House of Commons
Commission, an all-party group
of MPs including Mr George
Thomas, the Speaker, and Mr
John Biffen, Leader of the House, is seeking a impedence" clause in recognition agreements

Ford's Halewood plant over the introduction of what unions call union conveners are due to bold separate meetings today to consider the remaining points Ford's national joint nego-

The association signed the ment, but recently decided to Hackney, the outer London allow its members in the Labour boroughs received 18 allow its members in the Commons to take industrial per cent the outer London action whenever it was con-

He pointed out that Mr of a strike ban in essential public utilities, but had subsequently backed off. "It is something which simply cannot

other, are to continue lump sums to a continuous unemployment "wage" (the

Press Association reports).
He said the reports of the reports of

under negotiation.

The commission, which acts as the employer, is attempting to revive an arrangement which existed between 1968 and 1975 under which four unions under-took to respect " the privileges of the House" and the "absolute necessity" that its work "must not be impeded".

Mr John Ellis, deputy gen-eral secretary of the Civil and Public Services Association, said yesterday: "Although the House of Commons is a special and privileged place it should not have the power to remove its employees' right to take industrial action.

sidered necessary.

Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Employment, had at one stage promulgated the idea be tolerated by the union movement", Mr Ellis said.

The last main industrial action in the Commons was taken in 1979 by catering staff Talks between workers' leaders and the commission, which are also about the recognition of the six unions in Parliament and

their relationship with each

Mr Tim Webb, a national officer of the Association of Scientific, Technical, and Managerial Staffs, yesterday suggested a change in redundancy payments from one-off

He said that the continous payments, representing "a reasonable percentage of final net earnings", would be paid by the redundant worker's former employers, supplemented by the Government. Payments would last while employees were either

without jobs or were retraining.

Mr Webb makes his proposals in the May issue of the magazine Personnel Manage

### 'Irish luck' saves trawler

From Richard Ford Belfast

Fresh food supplies and cigarettes were dropped to a stricken trawler last night after the "luck of the Irish" ended an air and sea search for the 20-ton The Ardearns and her crew of

five had only two hours of diesel fuel left to keep her generator and radio operating when she was seen drifting helplessly more than a hundred miles off the Irish coast in the Atlantic. An Irish aircraft returning

from the search to refuel picked up faint radio signals from the boat, based in Greencastle, co Donegal, which was last ceen early on Friday morning and alerted RAF Kinloss, which sent a Nimrod to locate it. The Nimrod flew to the west

coast and with only an hour's fuel left, located the boat, whose skipper was able to tell them that he had no idea of his position although he was aware a search had been taking place for more than 36 hours. Squadron Leader Andrew O'Neill said: "They had been drifting for two-and-a-half days and were in the Atlantic. They had only limited time left in which to use their radio and were very lucky."

They had sailed for six-and-a-half hours from fishing grounds off Scotland on Friday and were scheduled to be back in port on Saturday afternoon, but their vessel lost all power when a fault developed in a pipe taking fuel to the engine.

Masked men beat and pistol-whipped 11 people yesterday in an attempt to get more cash during a raid at a club in west Belfast. Three men armed with a handgun and hatchet burst into the Donegal Celtic Club, ordering 14 people, including staff and customers. to lie on the floor while they grabbed an undisclosed sum of cash from the tills and safe.

Then they demanded cash from people drinking in the club, and when they refused, assaulted them. They escaped in

### 'Vandalism to ignore private care' By Our Social Services

He gave his soul to save

our bodies...

"A blissfully funny

... great British

Izvestia

comic acting..."

comedy" pravda

Correspondent

It would be an "act of social vandalism" for any government to turn its back on private and voluntary health care. Mr Norman Fowler, Secretary of State for Social Services, says today in Crossbow, the journal of the Bow Group. Help is given by families and

groups of Brixton, in Lambeth, and Hackney and the Asians of Tower Hamlets and Brent. neighbours on a scale which no amount of national or local Another reason is the concenorganization could ever protration of groups in certain areas: Camden, for example, is the home of a great array of arts and theatrical organizations which have benefited from the vide, he writes. No sensible government should ever try to interfere with that, "Nor should any sensible government seek to do other than encourage the magnificent range of voluntary arts and recreation committee's and private organizations in this country."

There are political factors in the distribution. Since the It is absurd for the Labour autumn, leading members of the GLC Labour group have met borough leaders in Islington, Brent, Haringey 228. Lambeth to be told of areas where GLC funding might ease the strain on borough budgets. Party to argue that only the Government could or should be allowed to provide any kind of health care, Mr Powler writes It is contrary to the interests of the patient because it deliber-ately rejects a valuable source of Mrs Margaret Hodge, Labour beaith care. For our part we leader in Islington, in a letter to

welcome every contribution to voluntary organizations after the sum of patient care." such a meeting explained that the GLC would be taking care Mr Fowler points out that provided to more than 20,000 of their requirements in subsequent years, allowing the elderly people being looked after in small nursing homes. borough to keep its rates increase at a manageable level. The private sector is a mixture of voluntary, charitable and The analysis of grants underlines criticism by GLC Con-servatives of "gifts" to certain Labour-controlled boroughs. commercial enterprise which includes small nursing homes and modern hospitals

### How nerve cells

Science report

### keep in touch

By the Staff of Nature

A detailed study of the anatomy of part of the brain has revealed an intimate association between blood vessels and a particular type of nerve cell, implying that it is important for them to communicate with each other.

The nerve cells were identified in the cerebral cortex, the top of the brain, with a furrowed surface, that coordinates the activities of most of the nervous system of the body. What distinguishes the body. What distinguishes the particular nerve cells identified by Dr S. H. C. Hendry, Dr E. G. Jones and Dr M. C. Beinfeld, of the St Louis University School of Medicine and the Washington University School of Medicine, both in St Louis. Missouri, is that they contain a hormone-like they contain a hormone-like substance called cholecysto-kinin.

It was by using an advanced type of stain for cholecystoki-nin that Dr Hendry and his colleagues were able to pick out particular perve cells in sections of monkey and rat cerebral cortex examined under the microscope.

With a standard microscope they were able to trace the path of several stained nerve cells through different layers of the cerebral cortex. A noticeable feature was that one of the long thin arms extending from the nucleus of the nerve cells sometimes diverged towards and made contact with a blood vessel of

Electron microscopy confirmed the contact. In some brain sections, more than half of the surface of a blood vessel made close contact with a nerve, clearly touching it in many places.

As with most anatomical studies it is only possible to guess what the observations imply for the function of the structures observed. On the reasonable assumption that the contacts between blood vessels and cholecystokinincontaining nerves are not just coincidental. Dr Hendry and his colleagues consider two possible reasons for them. The first is to allow the nerve cell to monitor the contents of the blood and to adjust its activity accordingly.

The other possibility is that the nerve cell delivers information, probably cholecysto-kinin itself, to the blood vessel. The role of cholecystokinin might then be to influence the size of the blood vessel, putting the flow of blood in the cerebral cortex maer the control of cholecys tokinin-containing nerve sells. Experimental tests of such suggestions will no doubt

Source: Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, United States of America, (Vol 80, p2,400: 1983).

### **Spending action upsets Tories** Conservative councils are protesting strongly over new

government efforts to impose targets on council spending because they say new figures clearly show that Labour authorities are the culprits on "overspending".

In total, councils in England are planning to spend £780m in excess of the Government's £20.1bn target for 1983-84. But more than half of that excess comes from the Greater London Council and the Inner I ondon Education Authority, and most of the rest from inner-London Labour councils and the metropolitan counties, all of which are Labour controlled.

The Missionary

were Camden, Southwark

The reasons for the dispro-

portion have to do, partly, with the nature of the GLC's grant

giving committees. Its ethnic minorities committee, which

spent £900,000 on grants, inevitably focused on the black

Lambeth and Hackney.

£8m handout.

GLC grants favour

Labour boroughs

By David Walker, Local Government Correspondent

Nearly one in eight of the payments made during 1982-83

under the Greater London

Council's programme for local

groups has gone to organiza-tions based in Islington. Groups

in the 10 Labour-controlled

inner London boroughs, plus

Haringey and Brent, received almost two thirds of the money.

Only a fraction of the £17m distributed by the GLC since last April appears to have gone

to such outer Conservative-

controlled areas as Redbridge,

Havering Bromley Bexley, Kingston, Richmond, Harrow

and Merton. The share of grants

oing to the three Conservative

inner-London boroughs of Westminster, Wandsworth and

Kensington is only slightly more than Islington's share

An analysis by The Times of 563 of the 1,000 grants made during 1982-83 identified 431

grants to organizations with a known address or area of

operations. About 66 per cent

went to Islington, Camden,

Lambeth, Lewisham, Green-

wich, Hackney, Southwark,

Conservative boroughs 13 per

cent and the three inner

Conservative boroughs 14 per

Most favoured after Islington

cent

By contrast the district councils in the shire counties, most of which are Conservative, are in aggregate exactly on the government target.

The predominantly Couservative county councils are about 1.5 per cent above target but that is within the rough margin of 2 per cent which government ministers had indi-cated privately was acceptable since most councils actually spend less in a given year than their budget plans.

### Foreign Office to discuss U-boat salvage

ator who has discovered an unrecorded German submarine from the Second World War in Caribbean waters is to meet Foreign Office officials today to negotiate salvage rights. Mr Roger Miklos wants to

for high-ranking Nazi officials. His discovery of the vessel which he believes to be lying sealed and intact, was disclosed

scepticism. Mr Miklos is determined not to disclose the location of the U-boat yet.

By Our Local Government Correspondent

COUNCIL SPENDING IN 1983-84 the rates. Type of council

All councils Shire counties Shire districts at target 1.5 2.0 Metro districts Outer London Metro counties

The counties have told the Government, in private meetings of Conservative councillors with ministers and in the Consultative Council on Local Government Finance, that there is no justification for imposing spending targets on individual counties because of their good record.

There was consternation in the county camp last week when in Parliament Mrs Margaret Thatcher criticized the solidly Conservative county of Surrey for its high rates. Surrey claims that its 1983 rate was artificially increased because of the unfair target it had been given for its spending, its failure to meet the target led to a loss of grant politan counties.

which had to be made up from

But local government is finding it difficult to mount a united campaign about spending targets. The district councils by and large found it con-venient to adhere to the target figures allocated to them in

The GLC, ILEA and such inner London councils as Camden ignore the target altogether since the Government's only sanction is to withdraw their rate support grant and that they have been prepared to risk

The new figures, set out in the table, provide additional ammunition for critics of the GLC and the metropolitan counties. The Conservative election manifesto is likely to promise action against those authorities, on the basis of a long study of the problem by a Cabinet committee set up to consider alternatives

Instead of producing a rates plan, something the Prime Minister has now taken into her personal charge, the committee recommended the abolition of both the GLC and the metro-

The American salvage oper-

head a government-backed expedition to bring up the Uboat, which he believes may have been commissioned by Goering as a means of escape

in The Times yesterday and has excited great interest, if some

### Children snatch £2,000 left on table in pub A boy aged about eight and a they asked the children of the girl believed to be a year older licensee where the lavatory was

have snatched more than and entered an office before £2,000 from a public house. taking £2,000 in weekend 2,000 from a public house. taking £2,000 in weekend Detectives believe that the takings. The money, in £10, £5 children were driven round the and £1 notes, had been left on a Berkshire and south Oxford- table.

shire countryside in a search for

Sunday night, where they played with the licensee's children, and then started to search drawers for valuables.

Next they went to the King Alfred Head Hotel in Wantage and walked around the bar and private quarters before being chased out.

Inn, less than five minutes later,

snire countryside in a search for an easy public house from which to steal.

The scruffy children first walked into the living quarter. walked into the living quarters out for the two. The girl is at the Lamb in Hungerford, on bloude and has a pony tail. Overseas selling prices

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### هِ أَدُا مِن الأمال

Secretary, urging changes in the Police and Criminal evidence Bill which they claim gives the police blanket powers seize film, tapes and other material wthout necessary safeguards. They are particularly concerned about the power of search included in the Bill, which is now entering its report stage in the Commons, and have added their voice to other groups, including doctors and journalists, who sought changes in the Bill.

The letter to Mr Whitelaw comes from the recently formed Directors Guild of Great Britain, whose 200 members include Sir Richard Attenborough, Michael Winner, John Schlesinger, Harold Pinter. Michael Bogdanov and Philip Saville. They argue that the Bill

contains powers which would threaten the production of well-researched films, programmes or plays on contentious themes, whether fictional and dramatic or documentary and journalistic. Any search or seizure of material would be disruptive to production and in some cases could halt a production with disastrous financial consequences, they

Their letter, signed by Mr Piers Haggard, the guild's chairman, goes on: "There are circumstances where the benefit to the public of the production of films, plays and programmes, whether fictional or documentary, about sensitive or controversial matters, outweighs the value to an investigation, or to a court, of information sought under a

"We feel that this public interest is not protected under the Bill as drafted."

Comparing their position with that of journalists, who have won concessions under the Bill, the directors say that the right to a search warrant for confidential items would render the investigative side of They complain in addition

their work impossible. that a search warrant for nonconfidential information could be obtained without notice of the application, or being given a chance to put their case, and without the opportunity of an The existence of such ill-

defined power without effecient and effective safeguards will create a climate of rumour and suspicion. It will have a deleterious effect on the relationship between our members and the police", the guild argues. Asking Mr Whitelaw to amend the Bill, the guild seeks

a right of representation and

appeal, a clear definition of

what evidence can be seized

to which it must Combs, Sikh bangles, nail scissors and a spanner from a

bicycle repair kit have all at some time been labelled as "offensive weapons", the National Association of Probation Officers says today in an attack on the Bill's proposed powers of search by the police (Our Home Affairs Correspondent writes).

says, the Bill will further harm relations between the police and the community. Although every citizen will be liable to be stopped and searched, past experience suggests that cer-tain groups of young people will bear the brust of regular checks. The association believes that this will lead to a strong sense of discrimination.

Unless Mr Whitelaw amends it, the association

Leading article, page 13 | a hijacked taxi.

Sounds instrumental: Richard Harvey

owns more than 80 musical instru-

ments and can play at least 20 of them.

Later his month he will play three

recorders, ranging in size from 41/2 in to

6ft 2in, during a concert by the London Vivaldi Orchestra at the Queen Elizabeth Hall, London.

by the Consumers' Association ficient".

Wales. The move comes after

the introduction into the House

of Commons last week of a Bill that would in effect end the

solicitors' monopoly on house

conveyancing.
Since Christmas the associ-

The survey is nearing com-pletion and the findings are

expected to be considered soon

It is believed that among the

problems surrounding house

purchases that the survey will

righlight are cost, length of time

necessary to complete sales, legal formalities, and "gazump-

by the association

By Baron Phillips, Property Correspondent

aimed at streamlining the He said: "It is also uncompe-procedures for buying and tive and much too expensive, selling houses in England and There are many ways in which

ation has been asking its day: "House transfer is one of members about their house the great problems of our time buying and selling experiences. and because it is of great

A campaign is to be started winded, antiquated and inef-

He said: "It is also uncompe-

things could be improved and

effective and vigorous compe-tition is the best way to stimulate the much needed

ation's legal officer, said yester-

and because it is of great concern to consumers there

At the heart of the matter, he

said, was the solicitors' mon-

opoly on property conveyanc-ing It was time that that hold

was broken and conveyancing

The association will also be

campaigning to simplify pro-cedures to enable house trans-

fers to be carried out more

already has a title registered at council the Land Registry was not To h

ought to be great changes".

opened up to competition.

Mr David Tench, the associ-

improvements".

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### Labour demands inquiry led by judge into **Bluff Cove deaths**

under the chairmanship of a that it had resulted only in a jury. We need to sort through High Court judge into the Bluff secret internal inquiry. Cove tragedy in the Falklands conflict, which claimed the lives of 50 servicemen, 43 of them members of the Welsh Guards.

There are considerable missivings in Wales about the Bluff Cove operation. It is felt

were "ill-equipped and unpro-tected in a way that should never have happened".

security remand prisoner, obtained an overdose of drugs.

further tightening of security

Mr Martin, aged 36, who faces 14 charges, including the attempted murder of a police

officer, was recovering in the

has not had a visitor for some

ume, although food can be left

without the person sending it seeing the prisoner. Mr Martin could have kept drugs brought

in some time ago, or obtained

them from sources in prison.

Mr Davies, who had spoken to the conference, told The Jail chief investigates

Mr Denzil Davies, shadow Times that grave concern had secretary of State for Wales, been expressed in the Comtant try of Defence should not be mons about the incident, but allowed to be the judge and the chairman ship an

Soke of the findings were released recently to Mr Dafydd Thomas, Plai Cymru MP for Merioneth, in a letter from Mr Peter Blaker, Minister of State for Armed Forces.

that we have not been told the whole truth and nothing but the knult ruth", he said.

Mr George Wright, General Scretary of the Wales TUC, told its annula conference at the weekend that the operation was "a reckless act of military scelligence". The guardsmen were "ill-equipped and unproceeded in a way that should strong the men was bombed by Mirage by midtyiduals, these are

Martin overdose

An inquiry by Mr Anthony to say whether Mr Martin was

the evidence in an objective way. If there was military incompetence, as many people are saying the matter should be cleared up as quickly as possible. Mrs Thatcher is still very proud of the whole Falklands operation. But she Bluff Cove operation. It is felt that we have not been told the whole truth and nothing but the as troops were about to land at men killed to tell them exactly

and Skyhawkaircraft.

The letter said it had been made by individuals, these are fully appreciated beforehand of the type that will always be that the landing was a calcumade in rapidly developing

### TV-am's new broom

Pearson, the governor of Brix-ton Prison, south London, was seeking to discover yesterday how Mr David Martin, a top-Nor was it saying yesterday what type of drug was involved, as disclosure would hamper the investigation. Mr Pearson, in his inquiry, was talking to staff The outcome is expected to be a and prisoners.

The chances of a top-security prisoner, like Mr Martin, obtaining drugs from other inmates, is reputedly reduced by limited association with them. But prison officers have prison's hospital wing yesterlong been concerned nationally
day. He was found in a drugged about drug smugging. Chrissleep in his solitary cell on topher Peace, a prisoner in
Saturday.

The inquiry is concentrating described in the Sunday Times

on eliminating possible sources of drugs. One obvious route to gail's black market could supply an unconvicted prisoner would be by way of food sent in, although staff are trained to Visiting procedures at Brixsome contraband. Unconvicted to spot contraband. Unconvicted to minutes, like Mr Martin, are contiled to food from outside and a bottle of wine a day.

I understand that Mr Martin has not had a visitor for some were real problems of super-

He added that Brixton faced a particular difficulty in hand-ling inmates who might try to commit suicide. "Over the past 10 years there have been 27 The Prison Department refuses deaths by suicide at Brixton."

### Fuel boards | Public back unaware of | move to end cut-off rules age bias

Labour MP to ban discrimination against workers on the ground of age has received wide supplies for poor families. The Government is being

a survey of all fuel boards has found that most are still unaware of the new rules, set out in two documents from the fuel industries and the Department of Health and Social Security. As a result, disconnextons are running at nine times the level judged acceptable by the independent Policy Studies Institute, if hardship is to be avoided.

More than 95,000 households had their electricity or gas supplies cut off in the first nine However the new figures do,

reflect a decrease in the number of disconnexions over the ments include a proportion of previous two years. But they retired people, bring the total back to the 1979. He spoke vesterday of an level, when widespread concern at the rising number of discon-nexions led the fuel industries to commission a study from the institute on how the code of practice was working.
Mr John Crowe of the Child

Poverty Action Group said vesterday: "The PSI study led to the new rules being drawn up. But all that has been achieved from what was supposed to be a clean sweep is that we have gotback to the level when everyhody agreed that there were too many disconnexions."

The group and the National Right to Fuel Campaign have written to Lord Avon, Under-Secretary of State for Energy, asking for the new rules to be made available in leaflet form.

Time is our secret.

PEAL WIGHTED CERMAN LAGER



By Our Political Reporter

A Bill introduced by

support from the public.

Mr George Foulkes, MP for Ayrshire, South, whose Bill-comes before the Commons on Friday for its second reading, said yesterday that many people had sent him moving accounts of what it felt like to be put on

to ensure that public appoint-

pension scheme; of a Glasgow man, aged 41, who on applying for a job was told that the company had stopped the recruitment of staff over 35; and of a civil servant who had told him that she was treated less favourably at work because she was regarded as "over age".

Mr Foulkes said that a man in Trowbridge, Wiltshire, had told him that he had colleagues who were deemed unemployable at 48. "While it is right and proper for people to show concern over youth employment of Industry has long pally to provide entertainment makes the task of gaining ment, the over 45s deserve argued that giving the tech-channels. The White Paper subscribers a pretty formidable more publicity", the man wrote. nology approval would stimu-concludes: "The Government one."



Mr Greg Dyke, the new editor-in-chief of TV-am, begins work today with the resposibility of improving the company's breakfast programmes after its financial

reprieve announced on Friday. Mr Dyke (below) will have three weeks to produce a formula to improve audience figures, of only 300,000, compared with four or five times that number watching the BBC breakfast programmes. Figures out today are expected to show the BBC to be still well in the lead.

Mr Timothy Atiken, chief executive of TV-am, has made it plain the Mr Dyke will be looking at ways of altering the look of the programmes.

One of his tasks will be to

make the commercials seem less obtrasive, something reported to have been responsible for making people turn-off - or over to the BBC.



## starts work



### The Consumers' Association hopes to publish a report of the Last week in the Commons Mr Bowen Wells, Conservative

"society's scrapheap".
He said: "They come from all kinds of backgrounds but are united by a frustration that the skills they have do not seem to

His Bill would require the Equal Opportunities Commission to consider discrimination on the ground of age, to draw up a code of practice and

He spoke yesterday of an unemployed welder, aged 44, who had been told by turns that he would not fit into their



### MP for Hertford and Stevenage, introducing his House Transfer introducing his House Transfer (Amendment) Bill, described ing on such property should be the present system as "long the sole preserve of solicitors." "shell" that can be decorated says: "There are as yet no firm and planned internally by the signs of a sustained recovery the present system as "long the sole preserve of solicitors.

Ministers back down on jobs

will be created by the expansion jobs. of cable television even though decision to allow the system to Authority which, des

expand.

The White Paper on cable contrary, appears to have television published by the Home Office and the Department of Industry last Wednesday says: "The number of jobs likely to be generated, even directly, by the installation of with a light touch and that programme plans need not be cable systems cannot be reliably estimated."

Research and development, the report suggests, could be a source of jobs as could the new appear difficult for the Government to quantify.

Cable manufacture would

could be the best source of jobs, data services on the main but even there the White Paper business areas of London, concludes: "This is a particu-larly difficult area to estimate." case they compete with Reitish

rly difficult area to estimate." case they compete with British

The lack of clarity has Telecom and Mercury,
uzzled supporters of cable. In spite of the previous puzzled supporters of expansion because the Departmeat of Industry has long

The Government has failed late the electronics industry and has noted that in the United to discover just how many jobs be an important source of new States the tendency of the obs. franchising process to lead to
That is not the only confusing unrealistic promises has been

it used the prospect of job element in the report. Another creation when justifying its is the section on the Cable

programme plans need not be submitted before transmission, yet the cable authority is to be the arbiter of decency and taste. source of jobs as could the new services that may result from more inconsistencies. Another cable expansion. Both, however, reason for approving the expansion, the government has often argued, is to encourage the creation of consumer services provide only a few hundred and information carried on jobs because it is not labour cable called interactive services, intensive. The programme The White Paper, however, making side of the new industry forbids cable operators to offer The White Paper, however,

particularly marked in the area of interactive services, where local authorities with franchis ing powers have been more enthusiastic in requiring such services than the public have been in paying for them".

The Government's published policy is not only causing confusion but it also appears to have diluted some of its plans

The Consumers' Association has declared its confidence in cable, but again emphasizes the entertainment channels. Young and Rubicam, the advertising agency, however, told its clients

to be cautious.
It concluded: "Most television households also pay a licence fee of £46 a year. Add to this substantial weekly outlay the demands increasingly being made on people's disposable income by the home computer and video games manufacturers and you have to conclude that the estimated £5 rental charge for a basic package of cable In spite of the previous services plus a subscription promises, cable is meant princically to provide entertainment makes the task of gaining

### Plea to end animal test funds The Government should no

onger make money available for research on factory farming using live animals, the National Anti-Vivisection Society said vesterday. In a statement to the Commons Sciect Committee on Agriculture, the society said it strongly condemned all animal experiments linked to research projects, designed to boost factory farming methods.

"Government funds should

no longer be made available for research using live animals, designed to improve the efficiency or counteract behavioural problems or 'vices' of animals kept under already widely - condemned intensive farming conditions," it said. Dr Robert Sharpe, the

ociety's scientific officer, said: "Quite apart from the lack of moral justification, many of the experiments carried out appear to have little relation to the needs of agriculture and because of the difficulties of transferring results from one species to another are of questionable scientific value."

### Skeletons found

Seven skeletons have been found in a Roman cemetery near Derby racecourse with their skulls between their knees. It is believed they were criminals or regarded as eccentrics, who were beheaded to stop their spirits wandering.

### Farm all-clear

The Ministry of Agriculture yesterday lifted a ban on the movement of cattle by farms around Stithians near Redruth, Cornwall, after tests on a cow suspected of having foot-and-mouth proved negative.

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### 7 hurt in fire

Seven men were taken to hospital in Aberdeen on Sunday night when fire badly damaged a hostel in Dee Street. Two of the men, who jumped from a first-floor window, were kept in

### Shunter killed enables tenants to buy a two-sector can work together to bedroomed flat for as little as provide homes of a high A British Rail shunter who

was crushed to death while Staines station, was identified yesterday, as Mr Thomas Davey, aged 26, a married man, who lived at Englefield Green,

### Royal design

An exhibition of embroidery and lace worked by and for members of the Royal Family has been opened to the public at Muncaster Castle, near Rayenglass, Cumbria. The exhibition has been provided by the Royal School of Needlewerk.

### Pit strike off

Miners will return by work today after a five-day stike at Shirebrook Colliery, near Afre-

photograph: ① sub contra bass; ② man-

photograph: ① san contra bass; ② mandolin; ③ Pan pipe; ④ crumhorns; ⑤ bell tree; ⑥ flutes; ② saxhorn; ⑥ uaker (drum); ⑥ tenor saxophone; ⑪ celtic harp; ⑪ bass schalnei; ⑫ tenor rauschpfeife; ⑪ portative organ; ⑭ guitar; ⑤ Spanish laud; ⑥ double bass recorder; ⑫ flatback mandolin; ⑥ cittern; ⑥ glockenspiel; ④ ibex

London docklands area.

A council official said: "This

which I hope we can repeat

The first part of the pro-

completed and 200 applications

have been received from would

Private house-building and renovation work is more buoy-

ant than at any time since September, 1979, but the

outlook on the commercial and

industrial side of the building industry is rated "at best

cautious and at worst gloomy?

(the Press Association reports).

according to a published today

The report by the National Federation of Building Trades

because it shows how success-

standard, but at low cost.

By our Property Correspondent

Council tenants in the Lon- schemes are under way in the

built flats at half the market scheme, using a private devel-price under a low-cost home- oper, has been an experiment

programme for first-time buyers fully the private and public

The scheme is under way in gramme will provide a total of Lanark Road, Maida Vale, not 35 homes in seven small blocks. The first block has been the country of the country

be buyers.

Next month Mr Harvey will be

playing between 15 and 20 instru-

ments in a 13-concert tour with John

Williams, the guitarist. Also a com-

poser, he wrote the music for the

television serial Death of an Expert

Some of the instruments in the

Easier home buying Half-price flats offer

campaign to start to council tenants

quickly. Buying a second-hand, profits made within that time owner-occupied home which will have to be handed to the

New moves in housing

don Borough of Westminster

are being offered new privately

price under a low-cost home-

ownership scheme.

The council's "starter flats"

£18,000. The market value of the homes is about £40,000.

the result of cooperation between the council and a

private developer. He low cost

of the flats is possible because

Westminster council was pre-

pared to sell the land in Lanark

Road, at less than the market

Tenant who buy the flats will be prevented from making

speculative profits on any resale

within five years. Any excess

the Land Registry was not To help keep down initial Employers, based on a sample difficult legal work and there costs the developers providing a of 500 member companies.

The second edition of ITV's new documentary magazine.

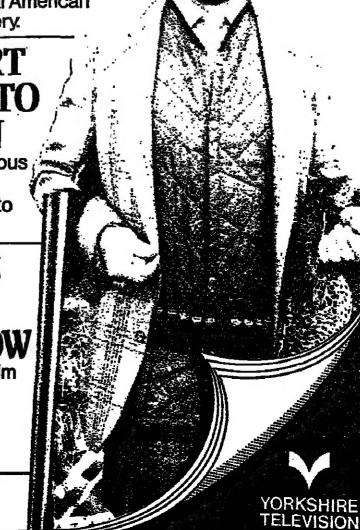


RUPERT **GOES TO TOWN** 

life of a gent with money to burn...

**VOICES** FROM **MOSCOW** Smuggled film

of the unofficial Peace Movement.



### **Experts challenged on environment risks**

The public should be scepti- may have been miscalculated by 83, a four-day conference on local authorities. waste disposal and reclamation Professor Timothy O'Rior-

statistics, particularly on long-term morbidity, as opposed to short-term mortality, while experts differed among them-

"In many instances where the Island nuclear reactor accident public displays what some in the United States and to the authorities are improdent ability of people to grow self-enough to describe as irrational, confident in their judgments, or emotional reactions, it is "so the misperceptions are not because the so-called real risk easily removed, certainly not by objectors with more scope to

cal about the risk projections of the experts", Professor Lee told people regarded as experts on the conference, which was environmental hazards, del- attended by 400 representatives egates were told at Reclamation of government, industry and

of polluted land that ended on dan, head of environmental sciences at East Anglia Univer-Professor Terence Lee of sity, said that the evidence Surrey University, a leading available on risk perception, authority on environmental although unsatisfactory, indipsychology, said that risk cated that experts are no more assessment lacked dependable expert in judging risk than lay statistics, particularly on long people, even in their fields of term morbidity, as opposed to competence.

Studies pointed to the great significance attached to specific vents like the Three Mile "In many instances where the Island nuclear reactor accident

the provision of more or clearer intervene, particularly to take Professor O'Riordan cited

research between 20 and 35 per cent of people in Western democracies adhered to the attitudes of the Green movement, whose great weapon was doubt; throwing the burden of proof of safety on the

The nuclear industry's safety standards had to exceed all others, almost regardless of cost, but it would never carry wholehearted public support, he predicted. Public misgivings about the siting of any potentially hazardous installation, from a power station to a toxic waste

and Mr Anthony Barker, of Essex University's department of government, called for reform of the public inquiry system. Mr Barker said the system could be destroyed by treating major inquiries "as if they were simply bigger examples of smaller ones".

Experiments were urgently needed, he suid: "Aids for objectors is . . . a vital principle, and novel ways of covering inquiry business more quickly are also an argent need. Poor official practice and understanding of symbolic values at major inquiries could readily threaten the legitimacy of the entire system, as public understanding and demand steadily increase."

### Middle East mission: Week one

### Shultz fails to clear any of the major obstacles

From Christopher Walker, Jerusalem

remain".

A shadow was cast over the long series of meetings between

Mr Shultz and a number of

senior Israeli Cabinet members

including Mr Menachem Begin, the Prime Minister, by the

hostile remarks made in Damascus about the shuttle

encouragement, is planning to sabotage any eventual deal which may be agreed between Jerusalem and Beirut. "I want

no Israeli troops will be leaving", the official said.

effort to persuade Israel to modify its hardline stand, the

US delegation is preparing to

offer to release shipment of the 75 F16 aircraft - the deal is now

Diplomatic efforts are being

made to play down the link

between increased US military

assistance and attempts to

sotien the Israelis' stand on

formed Israeli sources insisted

last night that such a deal was

much of its charm, but General

came behind agriculture and

industry in his development

plans. Egyptians are not sold on

tourism, he said laconically.

The prospect of 40 barracks-like

rows along the coast at El Arish, the capital of Sinai, is unlikely

to whet their appetite. A new Marriott hotel is under con-

The prospects are brighter for

a coal mining complex at Maghara, south-west of El Arish, where Babcock Inter-

national of Britain hopes soon

to complete feasibility studies

for exploiting reserves esti-mated to last for 150 years.

food production, particularly fish Output from Lake Barda-

wil has risen from eight tonnes a

day to more than 12 since Egypt

recovered the lake and began

cleaning its neglected waters, General Abdelday said. He foresaw production of between 30 and 40 tonnes a day, while a

new harbour, built at a cost of

£14m at Sakkal, near El Arish, will accommodate 170 boats

The emphasis at present is on

Abdelday said that tourism

on ice

Sinai development

feels the pinch

From Robert Holloway, Cairo

funds is, however, less of an chalets strung in two uniform

cial incentives to pioneers to move from the Nile valley, where the density of secondary

It is understood that in an

The tone of the Syrian

mission by President Assad.

As Mr George Shultz, the proposals for bridging the wide American Secretary of State, gap between the two sides on last night concluded the first security and normalization. week of his delicate Middle East
mission, it emerged that the
most intensive day of talks so
main obstacles preventing the
far, a senior Israeli official told elusive agreement on the reporters that although some withdrawal of the 70,000 unspecified progress had been foreign troops based in Lebanon made, "many problems still

remained unresolved. Israeli sources reported pessi-mistically that Mr Shultz had as yet been unable to provide an convincing evidence that Syria. would be prepared to pull out its 30,000 troops - the central condition of securing an Israeli withdrawal. At a briefing, Israeli officials also raised the point that no Israeli troops would leave Lebanese soil until all Israeli prisoners had been returned safely. Further diffi-culties were added to the US by unconfirmed reports, given prominence in the Israeli press, that Mr Casper Weinberger, the Defence Secretary, was attempting to torpedo previous agreements to supply Isreal with technological

the Lavi jet fighter. These reports caused con-siderable embarrassment to the State Department team which has already been coming under heavy criticism from senior American journalists travelling on the Shultz aircraft because of the lack of news that has been provided for them during their week out of Washington.

know-how vital for developing

In and effort to speed up the slow moving discussions, the future security arrangements in Secretary of State yesterday southern Lebanon. But inswitched his negotiating tack and for the first time began to

A shortage of funds and pioneers is likely to continue to

restrain plans for the develop-

second year of restored control over the area formerly occupied

Explaining why many projects have to be shelved, Mr Ali Abu-Zeid, the director of the

State Organization for Sinai, said: "We just do not have enough money. Our first pri-

ority is to improve the living

£330ri to construct a second

tunici beneath the Sucz Canal.

which separates this vast tri-

from the rest of Egypt. This sum

is five times the annual budget

for the whole of Sinai. Lack of

obstacle than under-population.

A total of 200,000 people are thought to live in Sinai, barely

eight to the square mile, and the

exceeds 4,500 per square mile.

A worker's income is doubled in

resettlement allowances alone.

According to General Muhammad Fadel Abdelday,

heNorth Governorate, in which almore than two-thirds of the

st population lives, about 5,000

new dwellings have been built

Mand 400 miles of roads con-

structed or improved since Egypt regained control of the

territory. Most of the houses

shown to visiting journalists

were empty, and many unfin-

ished. It is doubtful whether the

authorities will need the

160,000 housing units it plans

for one million people by the

end of the century.

For the tourist, the isolation

the secretary-general of the

where the density of population June.

rigle of mountainous desert

It would, he said, cost about

standards of the people.

ment of Sinai as Egypt begins its

More Israeli's fall out of step

From Our Own Correspondent

Seven months and 132 Israeli deaths since the war in Lebanon officially ended last September, the internal dissension which has distinguished it so markedly from all five previous Israeli-Arab conflicts is still growing, both inside the Army and out.

At the weekend Mr Daniel Timerman, the oldest son of Mir Jacobo Timerman, the former Argentine journalist and political prisoner, was jailed for the second time for refusing to do reserve army service in occupied Lebanon. He was sentenced to 35 days detention in addition to the 28 days that he served last October for a similar offence.

Señor Jacobo Timerman, a new immigrant who came to settle in Israel in 1979 is the author of The Longest War a bitterly critical account of the Government's decision to launch the invasion of Lebaleader's remarks confirmed fears held by many leading Israelis that Syria with Soviet non last June. to make clear again that without the withdrawal of the Syrians

Ironically, the concluding chapter asks: "How is it possible I can resign myself to leaving my son in the hands of the extremists who now command the Israeli Army?"

A spokesman for Yesh Gvul There is a Limit) the group of Israeli soldiers who refused to serve inside Lebanon, disclosed yesterday that since the controversial campaign began, 36 members had been im-prisoned. Nearly 1,000 other Israeli military protesters have returned their campaign ribbons and one sergeant has already been demoted and imprisoned for his part in that

Much of the unease felt in Israel about the war is now finding its expression in individual gestures like the one-man vigil mounted re-cently outside the Prime Minister's house by a tour guide, aged 60, who had lost his son in the fighting. He carried a handwritten sign asking: "How long will our soldiers remain to be killed on

Although the protesters may from only a small minority of the population, their highly literate and often youl demonstrations are seen as reflecting a deeper wide-spread malaise about the dangers of keeping Israeli troops subjected to the hazards of life in Lebanon.

The Government's appreciation of this underlying mood might yet persuade Israel to offer some concessions to Mr Seorge Shultz, the United States Secretary of State, in his efforts to secure agreement on troop withdrawal from

Typical of the new wave of literary protest was a poem in the journal *Hadarim* witten by the Israeli novelist, Yitzhak Auerbach Orpaz, which was directed angrily against the Begin Government's continuing insistence on always referring publicly to the war as "Operation Peace for Galilee".

The poem, which was first read aloud at a protest meeting over Israel's part in the massacre of Palestinians in West Beirut contains the memorable accusatory line: "I will not forgive this; that you sallied many clean words, that when you say 'peace' I prepare a memorial candle".

MADRID: Mr Jacobo Timerman said last night that he believed the Israeli military authorities were conducting a vendetta against his son, Norman Lebrecht writes. Although many reservists had refused to serve in Lebanon, only two objectors had been ordered there a second time, he



parade honouring the thirty-fifth anniversary of Israel's independence.

### Trudeau's trial by Tomahawk

spondent, in the first of two conventional articles, describes the opposition to plans to test cruise missiles in them once more exclusively conventional.

A weary-looking Prime Minister harked back to that episode to plans to test cruise missiles in

Handfuls of young protesters. looking like leftovers from the Vietnam era, huddle in socalled "peace camps" near Parliament Hill, Ottawa, at a weapons-testing site in Alberta,

and other places across Canada.

Eighty thousand people parade in a number of cities all on the same day – a big demonstration by Canadian standards. Mr Pierre Trudeau, the Prime Minister, is under constant attack from the left-wing New Democratic Party (NDP) in the House of Commons.
The theme of all this

commotion can be summed up in three simple words inscribed on the banners of those doing the marching and demonstrat-

ing: "Refuse the cruise".

They want to stop the Ottawa Government from implementing its plan, already approved in principle, to allow the United States to test Tomahawk cruise missiles over north-western Canada into an Alberta range incongruously named Primrose. The issue has sparked the

loudest defence and foreign policy debate in the Canadian capital since 1963, when the late Mr John Diesenbaker, the Conservative Prime Minister, was overthrown because of his against northern areas of the refusal to equip Canadian forces Soviet Union.
with United States-made So far the Ottawa Governauclear weapons.

The upshot was that Canadian forces, both at home and in Europe, took on a nuclear role - but only temporarily, that matter, have the A Ironically Mr Trudeau, a made a formal request. Liberal and the man now under

in responding to one more NDP barrage in the Commons recently. "I have done a great deal in Canada to denuclearize our whole approach to defence." he said, with the air of someone feeling totally aggrieved and



Canada would not be nucleararmed. In fact, it would not be armed at all, a point which the Government has been at some pains to emphasize.

The Pentagon wants to use the vast, empty spaces of the Canadian northland to perfect the guidance system on the hedge-hopping cruise, which is to be deployed with Nato forces in Europe late this year.

The terrain over which the 24ft missiles would fly is said to be similar to that which the cruise would cross if ever fired

ment has made no irrevocable commitment to allow the experiments to take place - at least not in writing. Nor, for that matter, have the Americans

But no one doubts that the sizzling attack for being too Reagan Administration will accommodating towards the weigh in with a proposition one Americans, was later largely of these days. An umbrella responsible for divesting the agreement signed earlier this forces of that role and making year foresees the testing of a

range of US weapons Canada, including the cruise. The Canadian and US Defence Departments will then proceed to work out an accord which, however, will be submit-ted to the Canadian Cabinet for its approval. The latter step, not provided for in the umbrella agreement, represents an extra precaution being taken by the rudeau Government to ensure that the terms pose no unnecessary problems in terms of public accepability. This tes-tifies to the political delicacy of the whole testing issue in

Opponents of the testing programme constantly taunt with Mr Trudean with reminders of a speech to the United Nations four years ago, in which he called for a "strategy of suffocation" to snuff out development of nuclear weapons delivery systems in the laboratory.

How, they ask, can he now acquience on an American plan to use Canadian air space to develop the cruise delivery system.

The Prime Minister's standard reply is that he never envisaged his suffocation stra-tegy, which neither the Russians not the Americans endorsed; as a one-way street.

More and more frequently of late he has gone on the attack, sarcastically asking why the anti-cruise campaigners do not demonstrate against the Soviet SS20 missiles which the cruise is designed to counter. "The danger of nuclear escalation is not a one-sided one," he told the Commons.

Nevertheless, there are probably times when Mr Trudeau wishes he had never made that particular United Nations

Britons | Greek property

British owners of property in Corfs and other areas of Greece who fear their title leeds will be invalidated by Greek courts took their case yesterday to Mr Andreas Papandreou, the Greek Prime

The case arose when the Athens Supreme Court declared that a company based in Greece but essentially controlled by Mr Jacob Rothschild, the London investment hanker, could not own a 15-acre estate in Corfu bought in 1969, because of a 1927 decree barring foreigners from buying land in designated "frontier" areas, which make up almost 50 per cent of the country.

The Foreign Office is study-The Foreign Office is attatying the court's judgment to
consider its possible implications for about 1,000 Britons
who, encouraged by past Greek
governments, bought had in
Corfu and elsewhere, either
through Greek nominees or by
setting up companies of fimited
liability in Greece.

Mr Peregrine Rhodes, the British Ambassader, who yes-terday took the case to Mr Papandreon, has made two previous representations to the Greek Foreign Ministry, but received no reply.

It is not only British landowners who are concerned andowners was are concerned by measures that may eventu-ally discourage investments in the country. The Socialist Government has just au-nounced that it is bringing all private mining companies on the island of Euboca under the surveillance of a council with worker participation.

This first step towards the "socialization" of strategic sectors of the economy was amounced by hir Gerasimos Arsenis, the Minister of National Economy, at a May Day workers raily at Manton-di, northern Emboes, where two Greek companies wine and Greek companies mine and process magnesite, the basic material for livebricks.

Mr Arsenis was cheered when he announced that the "supervisory council" of rep-resentatives of the Government, employers, employees and local government, would manitor the exploitation of national re-sources, stimulate cooperation among similar companies, and coordinate production. with overall state planning.

Greek businessmen are concerned that although this seems a watered-down version of the supervisory councils" that the Socialists had intended to impose on each big industrial unit, the councils' authority is

The Minister promised to make details available to the parties concerned for their comments, and expected the first council to be set up in the pext two or three weeks.

### Norway fear for | no longer sure sub existed

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a suspected submarine in a west coast ford and one admiral said the Navy was no longer sure one had ever been there.

Rear-Admiral Haakon Ellingsen said the suspected submar-ine could have escaped from the narrow 100-mile ford into the North Sea

But Admiral Roy Breivik said the Navy was doubtful whether the mystery submarine had existed. It is highly unlikely that a submarine could have survived the intense attacks by our forces on Samrday and Sunday", he said. Norway fired more than 20 anti-submarine missiles and dropped four depth charges.

### Polar walker claims success

Resolute Bay, Canada, (AP) The Italian adventurer Ambro-gio Fogar said he was packed up by aircraft near the North Pole on Sunday, completing a sevenweek solo walk over the polar

He was about 12 miles short of his goal. But the 41-year-old Milan journalist told Yellow-knife radio station that he considered his one-man eapedition a success. Ice conditions would not permit a landing closer to the pole.

### Irishman asks to stay in NZ

Christchurch (Reuter) - Tony Butler, aged 30, from Nerthern Ireland, prested after a British police tip-off on the day the Prince and the Princess of Wales toured Christchurch, said yesterday be was seeking political asylum in New Zeal

Publicity about his arrest would make him a marked man if he went home to Belfast, he said when he appeared in court on a charge of being a prohibited immigrant. Just being a Roman Catholic is a crime in Belfast, he added. The case was adjourned until Fri-

### Student jailed for aiding attack

Stuttgart (Reuter) - Helga Roos, aged 28, a West German student, was sentenced to four years and nine months in jail for helping urban guerrillas to carry our an abortive 1981 assassination attempt on Gen-eral Frederick Kroesen, the US Army Commander in Europe.

She was accused of providing support, including food, for terrorists as they prepared a rocket and gun attack on the general's car in Heidelberg.

### Nimeiri wins



President Nimeiri of Sadaz who has been reelected for third six-year term, the official Middle East News Agency reported from Khartam. He was

Australian High Court refused bail to Mrs Lindy Chamberlain. given a life sentence last year for the 1980 murder of her infant daughter Azaria in the so-called dingo-baby case.

### returns after stop in Havana Miami (AP) - An American

Hijacked US jet

jet with 212 people hijacked to uba by a man claiming to be carrying explosives returned to Miami yesterday after being grounded overnight in Havana because the crew could not free

the jammed emergency doors.
The Capitol Air DC8, carrying 202 passengers and 10 crew, had started its journey in Puerto Rico and was hijacked about 70 miles north-west of Grand Turk Island, Mr Roger Myers, spokesman for the Federal Aviation Administration, said

It landed in Havana or Sunday and although Cuban officials authorized it to return to the United States, it could not leave until early yesterday of States required concrete assur
General S. H. Sudharmono, the age, pessed without incident in Secretary of State, President sharp contrast to the 1974 visit subarto told Mr Nakasone that of one of his predecessors, Mr Jakarta required concrete assur
Tatsuo Tanaka during which

### Jakarta rebuffs China's hand of peace

Mr Yasuhiro Nakasone, the ances from Peking that it would riots errupted leaving 11 dead Japanese Prime Minister, ended cease all support for left-wing and more than 400 people a three-day visit to Indonesia insurgents in the area yesterday with pledges of The rebuff leaves continued economic aid and as the only member of cooperation, but a firm "no" from Jakarta on early resumption of diplomatic ties with

Peking.
Mr Nakasone, on the first leg
of a tour of South-east Asian capitals, told President Suharto in lengthy private talks that he Indonesia has in the past year carried a message from the stepped up trade with Peking, Chinese Government urging the Suharto Government has so resumption of full diplomatic relations, frozen after the abortive communist coup in

The rebuff leaves Indonesia as the only member country of the five-nation Association of South East Asian Nations (Asean) without formal ties to Peking The Philippines, Malay-sia and Thailand all have full diplomatic relations, and Singapore has a trade office. While far stood firmly against diplo-

matic representation. The visit, which diplomats According to LieutenantNakasone's maiden Asian voyGeneral S. H. Sudharmono, the
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BANGKOK: Within hours

of his arrival here yesterday Mr Nakasone and the high-level delegation with him reiterated their country's support for Thailand in its confrontation with Vietnam over Cambodia. Neil Kelly writes. Pledging Japan's continued support. Mr Nakasone said the

withdrawal of foreign forces from Cambodis and self-determination for its people were indispensable for peace and stability in in the region.

Today Mr Nakasone will have talks with General Prem Tinsulanonda, the Thai Prime. Minister, and the caretaker. Foreign and Finance Ministers.

said to have won 99.6 per cent of the vote in the 12-day refer-endum which began on April 15.

### Bail refused

Canberra (Reuter) - The

### Whitehall brief

### Looking back to plan forward

By Peter Hennessy

One of the games historians love to play, although they always say it is unprofessional and pretend they are doing something else, is "hindsight". It springs from the feeling that, for example, if only one had been at the elbow of Sir Dudley Pound in the Admiralty when he scattered convoy PQ 17, disaster might have been averted.

and emptiness of Sinai are when completed in 1986.

A group of Treasury men were persuaded to play it last week. What would they have about 1,500,000. whispered in the ear of Herbert Morrison in the late 1940s as his Socialization of Industry Cabinet Committee planned the transfer of one commanding height of the economy after another to public control? Their answers vere intriguing:

Do not create a monopoly where

Your approach is a little too nour approach is a new too simple. Can you really assume the people who are going to run these nationalized industries are socially motivated and will read ministers'

You have no mechanism for

What about the balance between a hands-off strategy and direct control from Whitehall?

More than 30 years on, Morrison's monsters remain a policy-makers' nightmare. The Treasury's Public Enterprises Group has to watch over all of them lest they break the bank. In round figures, its ministers and officials must monitor 19 corporations with a combined turnover in 1981-82 of some £38,000m and a labour force of

The group has a new instrument of measurement and analysis thanks to the most recent review of Morrison's legacy carried out by the Central Policy Review Staff in 1981. Out of the think tank's inquiry grew the Treasury's Public Enterprise Analytical Unit. Led by Mr Herbert Christie, it works closely with the Public Enterprises Group under Mr Tom Burgner.

The unit of seven sports two teams of specialists; a set of economists under Dr John Rickard, and a clotch of accountants under Mr Graham Houston.

help develop five-year backward looks called performance reviews. Lessons drawn from those are meant to inform the rather more taxing five-year forward looks at the corporate plans of state enterprises

There are snags here. As a recent report from the Comptroller and Auditor-General to Parliament shows, some industries consistently fail to produce adequate and timely financial information for their Whitehall watchers. The Prime Minister is very

keen that the Treasury acts as her early warning system for industries likely to hit sudden. severe market problems, as British Steel did in the recent past. The new system, the disaster-spotters recken, disaster-spotters reckon, though still running in, is producing the kind of detail they need to satisfy Mrs Margaret Thatcher. Their motto securs to be: "If we cannot do it, God heip ministere." ministers."

There is another dimension to their work in addition to teasing out future catastrophe, cross-fertilizing new ideas.



Treasury crisis-spotters: From left, Dr John Rickard, Mr Graham Houston, Mr Herbert Christie and Mr Tom Burgner. (Photograph: John Manning.)

through Cabinet committees like Mrs Thatcher's Economy, Nationalized Industries (which they do not admit to) and the cyclical gried of advising ministers as part of the annual nationalized industries investment and financing review.

The Government's attempts to roll back Morrison since 1979 have turned the Treas-

ary's state entrepreneurs into the Boundary Commissioners of the mixed economy. In concert with sponsoring

departments, the Treasury team, Mr Burgner's group and Mr Christie's anit, has to advise on the feasibility of rollback, industry by industry, the often fiendishly complicated legislation, the time needed for

denationalization and the residual regulatory powers Whitehall will need over newly privatized concerns.

Morrison's five years of foundation-laying has proved very difficult to dig up. And they are still searching for that balance between

### **Press Council defends use** of murder photograph

The publication of a photo-graph of a man shot in an of revenge had implied wrongly alleged gangland killing was in that Mr O'Nione had been the public interest because it guilty of some crime. showed the enormity of the crime, the Press Council ruled

It rejected a complaint by Mr Shaum McLoughlin, of Surbiton, Surrey, that The Standard published a revolting photograph of the dead man which must have been a surple interest. must have been particularly distressing for any relative. The photograph showed Mr Patrick O'Nione lying in Tower Bridge Road, London.

Mr McLoughlin told the council that the dead man's body was shown to maximum effect, with his bloody face This picture of a man shot several times and ich dead in a London street was certainly distressing and disturbing, but in the Pres Council's view its publication was the public interest in showing the council that the dead man's believed to be a gangland killing. The complaint against The Standard is rejected.

### Bail for seven rugby players

Seven men from the Neath area of South Wales were remanded on bail until June 2 by magistrates at Gloucester yesterday on charges arising from an incident on their rugby club coach on Saturday night. Inspector John Bond, from the

the police.

The adjudication was:

The Press Council has distinguish

### MP selected Mr Michael Welsh, Labour MP for Don Valley, has been selected as prospective parlia-

mentary candidate for the new seat of Doncaster, North.

### Wesley's pulpit

A pulpit that was used by prosecution, said that six John Wesley, one of the policemen were injured. Five founders of Methodism men are accused of assaulting been found in a school store the police. THE TIMES TUESDAY MAY 3 1983

### Warsaw told by Walesa to stop police violence and start talking

zation, yesterday bitterly condemned police violence during underground Solidarity leader-the May Day riots in Poland ship, which believes that the and said such methods would strength of the tumout, despite lead to the use of force by pro-Solidarity demonstrators.

work yesterday, came as the ment into negotiations. local newspaper in Nowa Huta
"They may think they are
amounced the death of a man
after the demonstrations on
grandfathers", Mr Walesa said May Day. Some 10,000 demonation about the Government. But this strators were believed to have was an illusion. "What we saw staged May Day protests in the southern steel producing city and clashes with police are said to have continued until night-fall. The newspaper, Echo

official estimates say that official May Day celebrations the pro-Solidarity rallies on underground leadership want to 40,000 demonstrators took part in the pro-Solidarity rallies on Sunday in 20 cities. Unofficial estimates put the figure much constitution Day.

The first of May was successful... They beat us with their batons but unhappy people will not cure this economy.

Solidarity underground leadership want to follow up its protests with a further challenge today to mark further challenge today to mark their batons but unhappy are supposed to turn up for work in their Sunday work in their Sunday in the sunday in

Mr Walcsa, speaking carefully to ensure that the statement could not be used against said that he still wanted to negotiate with the Government ority over its rank and file. This was the last moment for malcontents to call for both them to think because if not, I large scale demonstrations and think, among other possibilities; that we may have to fight using their methods...There is a growing number of those who were beaten and wounded who

"It will make people use the

Mr Lech Walesa, leader of Mr Walesa's analysis of the the outlawed Solidarity organidemonstration is not substandemonstrated the strength of The warning, given by Mr the underground following and Walesa before he entered the argne that this strength should Lenin shipyards in Gdansk for be used to pressure the Govern-

was an initiation. What we saw yesterday must change the minds of those who make decisions . we must sit at a table and at least try to talk."

fall. The newspaper, Echo The Government, which has Krakowa, said the man, Mr yet to announce the official Ryszard Smagura, was found casualty or arrest figures, does Ryszard Smagura, was found casualty or arrest figures, does unconscious on the street in the not analyse the demonstrations afternoon and died later in in the same manner and has hospital. The cause of death was ridiculed the efforts of the

emblems and observe a minute of silence at noon. This very low key protest is intended to leadership has sufficient authminor symbolic protests.

This in turn is supposed to prove that the Pope's visit to Poland next month can go ted by political clashes. However, the death of a man

same methods as the police and in Nowa Huta — especially if it that is dangerous", he said, emerges that he died because of emphasizing: "I would like to police action — may put a spoke avoid this."

### China puts four elderly priests back in prison

Joseph Chen, was scatteneed to activity.

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The formal charges accused Chen, 80, was sentenced to 10 them of colluding with foreign years and the Rev Stephen countries, collecting intelligence Chen, 66, was given two and a during the service anti-government slogans were shorter than the service and countries are the service a

Pregnancy from frozen

embryo

From Tony Dubondin An Australian woman is 14 weeks pregnant after being implanted with an embryo which had been frozen for four

months. The pregnancy is believed to be the first of its kind after two years of attempt-

The implantation was done in Melbourne by Dr Alan Trounson and Professor Carl

Wood of the Monash Univer-sity - Queen Victoria -Epsworth Hospital in vitro

The woman became pregnant aftr an earlier attempt using non-frozen embryos failed when she had a miscarriage after eight

removing one or more eggs from the ovary, adding them to sperm cells in a laboratory and returning any embryos to the womb very early in their

gynaecology, said that four eggs were removed from the woman last year after the had been

given fertility drugs.

The four eggs were fertilized

with sperm cells from the woman's husband and three of

the resulting embryos were

transferred fresh to the womb. A pregnancy developed but the woman miscarried at eight

Dr Trounson preserved the fourth embryo, which consisted

of no more than eight cells, in

liquid nitrogen. Four months after the initial egg collection, the couple asked that the

embryo be thawed and transferred to the woman. The implantation took piace in

technique involves

fertilization team.

development.

Peking (NYT) - Four elderly Catholic Patriotic Association Catholic priests in Shanghai (CPA) which overseas Chinese have been sent back to prison Catholics.



### Man hacked to death at funeral

From Michael Horasby

A high school teacher was stored then backed to death community leader in Lamontville, a black township near Durban, on Sunday. An un-identified young man was also

The teacher, Mr Mpikwanana Khanyile, had apparently been suspected by some of the 10,000 mourners of being a security police informer. They claimed they had seen him carrying a tape recorder, though no such evidence was found on him. The young man had also been

The funeral was for Mi Harrison Dube, a member of the local community council, who was shot dead outside his

have been sent back to prison for up to 15 years for offences that included maintaining ties broke with the Vatican in 1957 with the Vatican and sending at the government's littlest and alter mobs set fire to now ordains its own braicops offen home of Mr Moonlight on November 1981 in a police crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of having approved the control of having approved the rent crackdown on underground the control of the control crackdown on underground religious activity. They were put on trial after spending as much as 16 months in detention, according to reports from Catholic sources in Shanghai.

The Rev Zhu Hongshen, who is known in the west as Vincent Chu, received a 15-year prison sentence. The Rev Zhan Yungang, who is known abroad as avoid unsanctioned, religious activity.

Higious Affairs, a government increase. Another man, accused of sheltering Mr Gasa, apparatus of shelt

I years.

The formal charges accused them of colluding with foreign countries, collecting intelligence reports, fabricating rumons, carrying out subversive activity.

But the Catholic sources said the underlying issue was their refusal to sever links with the value of the underlying issue was their refusal to sever links with the authority of the state-approved.

Activity.

Earlier, the Rev Stanislas Government.

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### Dr Trounson, a senior lec-turer in the Monash University department of obstestrics and Unrepentant priest jailed

Krohn, seen above at the time of his arrest, was sentenced by a Portuguese court yesterday draw attention to himself. This to six years' imprisonment for time he accused the three to six years' imprisonment for attempting to assassinate the Pope during his visit to the shrine of Fatima last May. He was also sentenced to a further six months for attempting to use an effentive weapon, our Lisbon Correspondent writes.

The nitra-conservative Spanish priest, who was arrested by security forces as he tried to approach the Pope, had undergone psychiatric tests on the orders of the court

Yesterday, as at his two previous court appearances, Father Krohn did his best to draw attention to himself. This judges of being "puppets, communists and assassins", stating that only the Mother of God could condemn him.

After this outburst he again found himself in court an hour and a half later and was and a ball later and was sentenced to seven months imprisonment and a fine of 18,000 escudos (£112) for insulting the judges. The court ordered that he should be expelled from Portugal at the end of his sentence.

### Easy street ends for cabbies

not have their own cars. Many depend on taxis to get aroun sy about the routes they

venience you," a young driver said, "but we only earn a basic wage of 40 yeau (about £12) a mouth and another 20 yeau as bonns. It is not enough to save or get married on."

Complex regulations por-

petrol have been tightened. This has annoyed drivers who previously were making up to

twice as much as the average wage in industry. It is becoming common to see foreigners arguing heat-edly with taxi dispatchers at the big hotels, because the drivers are willing to go to one destination but not another.

A cheerful and friendly crowd on the whole, the drivers by being allowed to take their fares in either yuan or in the special foreign currency cer-tificates, which enable them to

assengers grown by coasting ad driving only in the higher ble, risky and bad for the car. underground railway opened 10 years ago is making a huge council regards it as a public service, and subsidises it heavily a worker can by his

the Presidential Palace itself describes as delicate nevertheless is of substantial political interest. Senator Amintore Fanfani's four-party coalition was forced to resign last week because the Socialists, who are

lunck with the difference ground and one on a bus. Commuters can receive a special bonus if they travel by bicycle.

### **Last-ditch Pertini** attempt to avert early election

be formed without the need for

to name June 26 as the date for

a general election. Many of

them have been electioneering

for the last two weekends, confident that the President

would be forced to dissolve

Parliament. He will almost

certainly still have to, but his request to Senator Morlino has added a fresh touch to a

complicated situation, Senator Morino undertook to carry out

and was immediately in touch

with the party secretaries. His brief is simply to add greater

detail to the picture the President has already formed

after his own consultations with

President Pertini asked Sena-tor Tommaso Morlino, leader Christian Democrats, withdrew of the Senate, yesterday to their support. a new Italian Government can

Their reason for doing so was that the vigour necessary for governing the country could an early general election. only be The President surprised most election only be found by means of an

The Socialists on several politicians yesterday with his decision to postpone signature of a decree which was expected occasions during the four years of this Parliament have brought which has brought them a disproportionate amount of prominence, given that they now have only 10 per cent of the national vote. Partly because of these tactics, would expect to gain more from an election now than by waiting mandate is finished.

President Pertini's move is in

a sense a rebuke addressed to the Socialists. They are trying to force an election and, almost surely, there will be a dissol-ution. But the President is underlining their responsibility very clearly by his refusal to be

party leaders. There is no He will no doubt have heard estion at the moment that if from the country's largest party, the Christian Democrats, of Senator Morlino provides a report opposing general elec-tions, he will then be asked to head the next government. their opposition to elections and a warning from the His entry on to a scene which not appear as the consequence of the collapse of a government, but of the failure of four years of policies imposed by the five

### Reshuffle in Guyana

Burnham, the Guyanan President, has replaced two longstanding ministers in a government reshuffle, AFP reports.

Mr Hubert Jack, Mines and and replaced by Mr Haroon wage freeze and devaluation too Rashid, while Mr Frank Hope, barsh. He has accused the IMF

Georgetown - Mr Forbes Hope is to join the Inter-American Development Bank in Washington.

Mr Burnham last week rejected International Monetary Fund aid for his country's Energy Minister, has been troubled economy, because he named Ambassador to Brazil found the IMF's terms for a the Trade Minister, has been and the US of trying to replaced by Mr Desmond destabilize his 19-year-old Hoyte, a Vice-President. Mr regime.

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### Managua accuses Reagan of starting new cold war

Managua (NYT) — Nicaragua, making what is said was its formal response to president Reagan's speech on Central America last week, has provided for the first time a detailed list of what it claimed were violations of its territory by the United States during the past two years.

The response, given in an address on Sunday by Señor are said, started in July of that year and were carried out by RC135 were violations of its territory by the United States during the past two years.

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presentation. Detection of some puerio Sandino on the Pacific of the events listed according to coast. He did not say when this one analyst, would have required advanced methods.

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While the Nicaraguan Washington's hostile intentions Government has previously was that in 1982 six US Coast complained of what it called US Guard and Navy vessels had

Latin America to close ranks to confront it.

Señor Arce, who is regarded as one of the most radical members of the nine-member Directorate, surprised Western diplomats with his detailed presentation. Detection of some

violations of its territory, it has maintained a permanent line of never before made public such a control and surveillance of detailed list.

military communications at a military communications at a

Apparently encouraged by growing Congress opposition to Mr Reagan's policy, Senor Arce said: We hope that Congress finds formulas to moderate the President's holy anti-commu-nist crusade".

Concluding his speech, Senor Arce gave 11 demands and commitments aimed at aimed at the United Washington. Nations and the group of Third World countries known as the nonaligned movement. He asked for immediate negotiations with Washington and As evidence of what he called distance of about 19 miles off an end to American covert and



Dr Reagan: Mrs Nancy Reagan celebrating after being awarded an honorary doctor of laws degree from Pepperdine University, Los Angeles.

### May Day marchers clubbed in Chile

Santiago (Reuter) - At least unidentified men, 10 people were injured and said. more than 100 arrested in Members of group

Members of groups opposed central Santiago after people to General Pinochet's military staging a banned May Day government defied an official

club-wielding assailants in civilian clothes while members of the security forces apparently

### Crisis in Central America

### Region fears envoy will damage efforts for peace

dialogue may presage just the ter-revolutionaries.

dialogue may presse just the opposite.

In particular they are worried about his decision to give practical expression to the principle of negotiation with the creation of a special envoy for Central America. Senztor Richard Stone is waiting for congressional approval to fill this new post. They fear that it will only interfere with efforts by the Contadora Group, composed of Colombia, Mexico, Panama and Venezuela, to give a common direction in peace in the region.

The Central American critics feel that, given the harsh message of the President's speech, Mr Stone will bring directly into negotiations something that the Contadora Group has striven to erase the view of the Central American critics feel that, given the harsh message of the President's speech, Mr Stone will bring directly into negotiations something that the Contadora Group has striven to erase the view of the Central America crisis as an East-West conflict. It will also mean that the United States, not an impartial observer of the region, will be setting the rules of negotiation.

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region, will be setting the rules of negotiation.

Diplomats from the region anti-Sandinista rebels using point out that in his speech before a joint session of Congress, Mr Reagan simply took ideas from the so-called San José proposals put forward in January by Costa Rica which the latest one is the fact that had been warmly welcomed by Costa Rica, whose proposals but rejected by Nicaragus.

bilateral discussions dealing with the military operations of anti-Sandinista rebels using Costa Rica trainistant rebels using Costa Rica

Despite President Reagan's regional talks are supplemented attempts to appease critics and by negotiations with Honduras infuse a conciliatory tone in his and the United States. Only statement of doctrine on Central America last week, many countries in the region are concerned that his approach to hands of American-aided countries.

El Salvador and Honduras but rejected by Nicaragua.

These envisage a regional the Considers initiative which solution to the many crises of the President last week ignored and demilitarization, by the only means for negotiation withdrawal of foreign advisers and agreements banning the import of offensive weapons.

But while Nicaragua claims it ment between Costa Rica and is willing to discuss a regional nicaragua as it diffuses the approach to the Central American quandary, it insists that are on Nicaragua.

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### Hanoi says troops are returning

From David Watts

Singapore
In a colourful ceremony in Phnom Penh yesterday, Vietnam began a-partial withdrawal of its troops from Cambodia watched by 40,000 people, according to the Vietnamese new agency.

The column of home-going troops, led by "battled-scarred armoured vehicles" was headed by a tank which was said to have led Vietnamese forces into

Phnom Penh in 1979 when the

capital was captured from the Kinner Rouge Pol Pot regime. Hanoi has said that it will withdraw one infantry division and six brigades and regiments from this month because of the improved security situation in the country and after a decision by the three Indo-Chinese countries, Laos, Vietnam and Cambodia.

The column moved towards the harbour in Pinom Penh for transfer down the Tonle Sap River to Ho Chi Minh City. There is widespread scepticism about the authenticity of the withdrawal after a similar exercise last year in which the so-called pull-out was preceded by extensive troop movements owards the batusfront

This time some foreign correspondents had been in-vited and the news agency said that 150 of them watched yesterday's column passing

through the city.

The Cambodian Government said 10,000 troops would be withdrawn over the next

Mr Hun Sen, the Cambodian Foreign Minister, has said that Vietnam is willing to withdraw troops every year taking into consideration the security situ-ation on the Thai-Cambodian

"With goodwill on the Thai side it would be possible for us to withdraw further Vietnamese troops in even larger numbers"

● PEKING: China described the Vietnamese plan for a partial troop withdrawal from Cambodia as a simple trick to put pressure on Asean and a mere gesture to international calls for a total withdrawal

Reuter reports.

"By offering such a partial withdrawal, Hanoi tries to make Ascan accept its proposed dialogue with Indo-China", the official Xinhua news agency said in a signed commentary.

### Journalist on spy charges granted bail

Düsseldorf (Reuter) - Flemning Socrenson a Danish ournalist under arrest for seven months on espionage charges was yesterday freed on bail of DM60,000 (£16,000).

Mr Soerensen, aged 52, whose trial opened in Düsseldorf on April 19, also had to surrender his passport, find a fixed address, and agree to report regularly to the police.

A past president of the Foreign Press Association in Bonn, he has denied charpes

## of conscience

### **Estonia:** Mart Niklus

By Caroline Moorehead Mr Mart Niklus, an Estonion biologist, translator of Charles Darwin's works into Estonian, and referred to by the authorities as an "especially dangerous recidivist", is being held in the special regime

category - of Perm Corrective Labour Colony No.36. Prisoners there spend almost 24 hours a day in cells. Sentenced in January 1981, Mr Niklus has eight more years of imprisonment to serve, to be followed by five in internal

He was one of 45 Estonians, Lithuanians and Latvians who on the fortieth auniversary of the German-Souler aggression pact of 1939, signed an appeal calling on the Soviet authorities to declare the pact void. (Among other things, the pact led to Estonia becoming part of the Soviet Union.)

Seven months after signing, Mr Niklus was ar-rested in Tartu, Estonia. It was not his first arrest: in 1959 he had been sentenced to 10 years in a corrective labour colony for "rendering services to the international bourgeoisie", a reference to giving Finnish students a series of graphs showing alleged comings of Soviet life.

This "anti-Soviet agitation principally of listening - with students - to Voice of America radio broadcasts, of making "anti-Soviet" telephone calls to Sweden and signing samizdat



Mr Niklus: Eight more years

### Crash kills 6

Munich (AP) - Six your people between the ages of 16 Bonn, he has denied charges and 25 were killed in two that he spied for East Germany separate car accidents near here, while working as a journalist in lin both cases, cars ran off the Bonn between 1970 and 1979.



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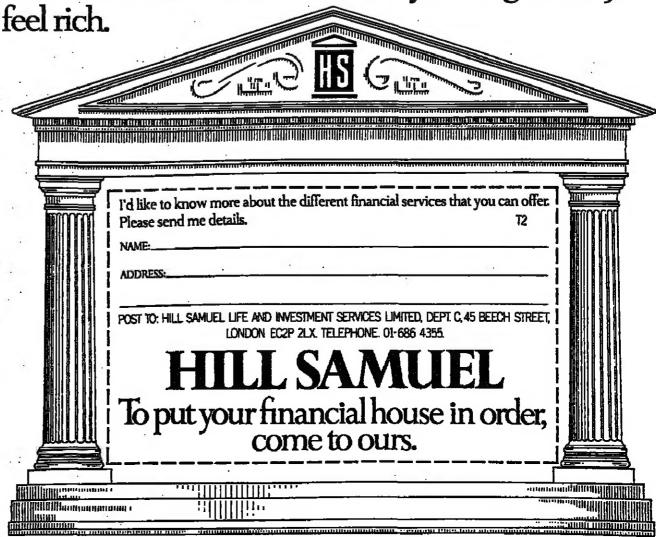
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### **SPECTRUM**

Once, Europe was merely a staging post for heroin on its way from Asia to the US, but now it is a major market for the deadly drug. In the first of two articles on heroin and its victims, Stewart Tendler reports that bumper opium crops and a new source of supply could make matters even worse this year

## Harvesting the flowers of evil

with Europe as the major battlefield? The alarms are ringing at the United Nations and Interpol that any such struggle would have frightening consequences: either bloodshed or a price fight in which low-priced heroin would be dumped on western markets.

In the foothills of Pakistan's north west provinces and the no-man's land of jungle that makes up the border of opium poppy crops of 1983 are being exceed 30,000 cases. The figures in harvested. Each region will produce a second crop later in the year.

higher than official admissions.

By then newly processed heroin will be available and the international other side of the picture emerged. authorities will have an idea of trends. More than 1,000 kilograms of heroin If a conflict breaks out between the was seized in Europe last year, a 20 per distributors for the Pakistan and the cent increase on seizures in 1981. The border regions, which are two of the list of police and customs operations world's great opium growers, it will included almost every major air and come at a time when many countries sea port in the Continent. are still in the throes of adjusting to the Drug squad chiefs were told there results of the last release of heroin. was evidence that heroin of good and They are trying to calculate the cost increasingly of better quality was easily and the impact of crops last year, the available. Production and trafficking year before and the year before that, in heroin were taking on dimensions Since 1979 heroin has never been seen not known in previous years and the in such quantities on the illicit market. criminals' operations were becoming

At the UN's annual narcotics better and better organized. conference in February, the now-familiar problems of the producer countries and the US were discussed yet with a purity in the US as low as 10 per again. Thailand, for example, estimates cent, sometimes less. it has 600,000 addicts. Pakistan puts the total at 250,000 and the US has almost 500,000 heroin users plus in amounts seized by the 88,000 in treatment.

The year 1979 had a special Worldwide, a new record of 5.6 significance, however, for Europe tonnes - an increase of 123 per cent on when it ceased being a transit area for 1981 - was removed from the illicit heroin bound for North America.

growing market and now every European country has problems, from an estimated 25,000 addicts in Italy to 500 in Liechtenstein. Britain with its long-established and often emulated treatment system, has been no more successful than other countries at keeping the market small: more than 8,000 addicts were notified to the Home Office in 1982 compared with Laos, Thailand and Burma, the first barely 4,000 in 1978 - but estimates

At Interpol, several weeks ago, the

The purity of heroin on sale in

authorities.

market last year, while morphine

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Italy was the first to become a seizures rose to nearly two tonnes, an increase of 27 per cent, and opium to 54 tonnes, an increase of 5 per cent.

How much the seizures reflect the size of the market is impossible to say. Customs officials believe that seizures equal 10 per cent of the trade but it is an imprecise formula. Certainly there has been no shortage of capacity in south-west and south-east Asia.

Both areas have long had traditional local markets for opium and the poppy has been an important cash crop for peasant farmers. Their influence on the world market began to be felt in the past decade when the south-east Asian region, eventually dubbed "the Golden Triangle", started to fill part of the vacuum created by the downfall of the "French Connexion" which linked Turkish opium with the US.

By the mid 1970s the hill tribes of the Triangle, dominated by local a hand in the international heroin warlords and aided by the chaos of the Vietnam War, were producing 750 to ,000 tonnes of opium a year. Heroin moved westwards under the control of gangs, including the Chinese Triads and came on sale in Amsterdam, the great European drug centre, and in

market.

The frontiers of Iran, Afghanistan

cast aside and the "Golden Crescent"

Part of the market lay in North America - also supplied by Mexico or American forces in Europe, which included servicemen who had picked up a drug habit in Vietnam. But by the late 1970s the Triangle's production began to drop. There were battles between warlords, new offensives by local governments and the beginning of a drought.

Then events in the Middle East took

addiction. Heroin became a "rec-reational drug" and recent research reveals that there are now occasional users who may have avoided addiction or believe they have, taking heroin. only when they want to.

In Britain other factors were at play. In 1979 a succession of customs operations is said to have created a shortage of cannabis, much of which had come from Pakistan. Instead dealers offered heroin, which was sometimes sold for less than the available cannabis.

The importers, many of them Pakistani, entered the market with little experience of its economics. So prices were low - there are stories of whole kilos being offered at knock-down prices. Monitoring of street prices has suggested the price for a gram fell as low as £35 in 1979. Now it is £60 but small packets of heroin at £5 or £10 are reported to be common.

Heroin is easier and more profitable to smuggle than the bulkier cannabis. The profits can be enormous, running and Pakistan have long comprised an area with few controls and a flourishing smuggling industry. With the overthrow of the Shah, then the Soviet into millions, which encouraged dealers and distributors to continue the invasion of Afghanistan, whatever trade despite the reappearance of controls had existed in the region were

Given the opportunities that lay in came into being.
The fall of the Shah sent Iranians e West it is hardly surprising that in 1979 south-west Asia produced 1,600 fleeing westward, including a number who had converted their wealth into tonnes of opium, double its normal crop. Two hundred tonnes converts to heroin or who, because they were 20 tonnes of heroin. A large proportion addicts - Iran still has an addict population of 400,000 - brought of the crop went into Europe, the business often organized by Turks with supplies with them. Europe was experience of the heroin trade of their suddenly no longer a transmit point to own country. the great market in the US but one in

Within a year the UN reported that: ... western Europe clearly It has been claimed that the failure to suppress the growth of drug use in replaced parts of the Americas as the main target for traffickers dealing in the 1960s and the spread of cannabis was bound to lead to an upsurge in illicit opiates. More heroin was seized in Europe than in any other single heroin. Yet it could be said that the region. There were no indications that refusal to legalize cannabis has encouraged the black market to prosper and this heroin was in transit to North America".

The growth in heroin use might have Pakistan came under pressure to take internal action and there were reports that production had dropped to release from consequent worries. And the modern tendency to take heroin by 125 tonnes of opium in the space of not much more than a year. But last February the UN noted: The evidence smoking or sniffing removes the fears of the abundant illicit opium harvests Perhaps users felt that smoking or in some parts of the Middle East in the sniffing heroin was unlikely to lead to late 1970s were still being felt". The

Meanwhile, back at the ranch.

The Drug Enforcement Agency, the American federal organization which operates worldwide, offered a gloomy assessment of the Crescent in 1981.

The complex and difficult problem of south-west Asian opium is not subject to any 'quick fix 'solutions'. The DEA has not changed its view. The message was repeated by its man in Pakistan lo British police officers at a conference in Lancashire last month.

The heroin has reached Europe in container lorries overland through the Balkans, in solution in bottles of brandy and whisky, in tombstones and by couriers such as Turkish immigrant workers. Last year Pakistan claimed to have closed down 27 laboratories.

But processing plants have begin to appear in Europe, including a laboratory found in Britain in 1980, and there are real fears that the Mafia-organized "French Connexion" has been revived. Nineteen laboratories have been shut down across Europe in three years including one in Palermon in years including one in Palermo, the ancient Sicilian home of the Mana which had a high production capacity.
While the Crescent has flourished

the Triangle has slowly recovered in 1980 the peasants planted a double crop. It was a good year. In 1980.81 there were three crops - in November January and February. Last year another bumper crop was expected: intelligence reports suggested a figure of 650 tonnes of opium would be

Both the Thai and Burmese authorities have made inroads on the Triangle with military operations against the warlords but more than a dozen laboratories are still operating.

The recovery is showing in Europe In 1980 beroin from the Triangle made up 5 per cent of seizures. In 1981 the figure was 10 per cent, last year 18 per

France has noted that half of its seizures are of heroin that originated in the Triangle. In Scandinavia, Pakistani and Turkish dealers are already fighting over the existing market.

The anti-drug authorities in Europe are now trying to make their dispositions to meet this new threat. The Dutch, for example, plan to double the size of their drug squad in Amsterdam to 60 by the autumn. They may soon be joined by a British police officer as part of a plan for an international liaison system agreed recently.

The drug squad in London is remaining static at just over 40 officers, half of them uniformed, but the Home Office has instructed the overall police effort to be increased by the involvement of detectives from Britain's regional crime squads. The police have received intelligence to the effect that some of the most notorious big-time criminals they regard as "targets" have become generally connected to the drug trade.

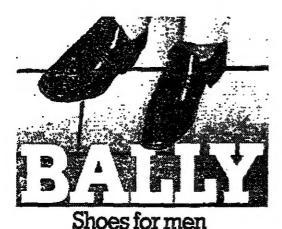
Extra manpower has been brought into the British customs operations against heroin and an investigator now spends part of his time working alongside the Pakistani authorities. None the less the number of addicts notified to the Home Office in the first w months of this year stood at 2,600. In the same period last year it was 2,000. In 1978 notifications for the whole of the year were 2,100.

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Our problem, fellow Americans and illegal immigrants, is what we should do about this threat. Another thing about these Indians is that they are not democratically elected, like signals that were not here we are. When their chief tells before, and I must ask you all to them to go out and loot and kill, rally round to my leadership at and shoot defenceless villagers this time, putting aside our in the back prior to stealing differences and putting our hands in our pockets. What danger signs am I you that you must go out and referring to? I'll tell you what stop them, if necessary by signs I am referring to. I am shooting them in the back.

I have seen these things

before, in many films, and I can therefore tell you what to do. What we do is this. We find a friendly tribe of Indians and we I guess none of you here has seen signals like that before and you don't know what they signify, and that's why I am here today to tell you; that's why I've gathered you all together today like this Indians. That's what that means Somewhere down there the Indians bidding, The only thing is, we're going to need money for this and that's why I've got you all Let me tell you about these hirendly tribe of Indians and we give them rifles and firewater and tell them to hunt down the Indians we don't like. Well, I've been sconting around and I've found a friendly tribe of Indians and we give them rifles and firewater and tell them to hunt down the Indians we don't like. Well, I've been sconting around and I've found a friendly tribe of Indians and we give them rifles and firewater and tell them to hunt down the Indians we don't like. Well, I've been sconting around and I've found a friendly tribe of Indians and we give them rifles and them to hunt down the Indians we don't like. Well, I've been sconting around and I've found a friendly tribe of Indians and we give them rifles and tell them to hunt down the Indians we don't like. Well, I've been sconting around and I've found a friendly tribe of Indians.

here together like this.

I know what many of you are

their business. I'm all for peace. But I believe in peace in its proper place, and that's in the final reel, so that everyone can go home happy knowing that justice has finally been done. I aim to see that justice is done, and that's why I'm asking your help in seeing this friendly tribe which I believe I already referred to being well provided with guns and ammunition,

because that is the only way to

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Congress

My fellow Americans. When I was first nomi
Our problem.

Shot an enemy by waving a rifle term. Don't get me wrong. If Hollywood wants to give all its getting a little stronger, so let's awards to foreign films about problem.

Our problem fellow Americans and non-violence, that's together, shall we? There ain't a stronger of the stronger moment to lose. If the men would like to get going. I would just like to have a word with the women and children. My fellow American women

we're going to be getting the wagons in a circle, and I expect you to do. The answer is simple: keep your heads down and leave the rest to me. This is leave ecause that is the only way to something I am used to. This, at last, is a situation I can ltandle.

Well, I've said my piece, and Thank you and good night.

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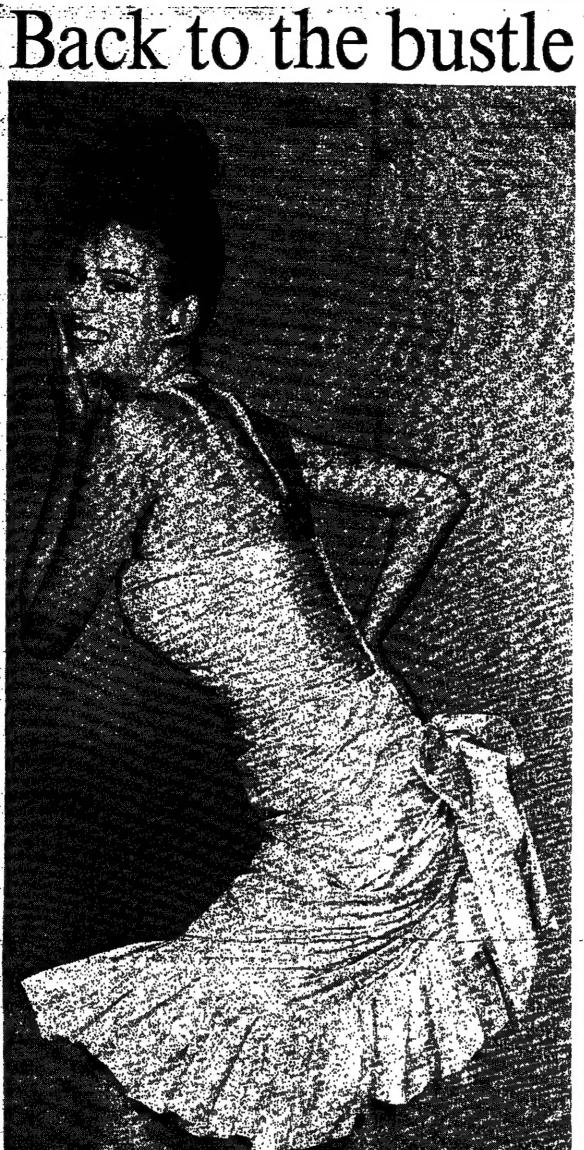
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The Rhodes plunge (below): cowl-back comflower blue chiffon tunic with shell print and pearl trim over deep lilac jersey ladder-back dress; by Zandra Rhodes from 14a Grafton Street, W1. Triple strand tasselled agate necidace with blue white diamond butterfly mottle set in 18 of gold. Matching tasselled earnings, By M. Gerard.







larger companies," says Frank Russell, chairman of Mansfield, who hast Wednesday inaugurated a £25,000 trust for the Royal College

It is cheering to see a serious fashion company backing fledgling designers in such a constructive way. designers in such a constructive way.

The income from the trust will be used each year at the discretion of Professor Joanne Brogden and the fashion school, to fund special projects or to help particular students. In return, the students enter an annual Mansfield competition to design for their Cache d'Orcanal range.

Knitwear dramatic, romantic and exotic is the subject of a lively new exhibition at the British Crafts Centre. The stars - all twiskling in their very different ways - are Sue Black, Roth Lee, Puri Sharifi and

Colour and texture are themes in the general selection (which I myself helped to choose). There are also some extraordinary effects like Sue Bradley's brocade and lace or Susie Freeman's transparent uylon work. After the London show at 43 Earlham Street (until June 4, closed

casual range.

An After-Six collection was this year's brief. It produced a with Plymonth on June 30.



It is one hundred years since the bustle reached its fullest flowering. Never before or since the 1880s has quite so much material been gathered together for the sole purpose of pointing up the pos-terior. Behind the bustle were contraptions of steel mesh, some so ingenious that they folded up on a spring when the wearer sat down, bouncing back into "the correct Parisian shape", to quote an advertisement of the

Bustle rampant - time. Weldon Ladies Journal had unstinting praise for these extraordinary bowls of mesh that looked extraordinary bowls of mesh that looked like a cross between a sieve and a fencing helmet. "Their lightness, cleanliness and flexibility." rendering them adjustable to every movement of the body — as well as their durability, should be sufficient to recommend them," said the magazine.

Alas, durability was not the most important feature of these "health bustles" ("recommended by Leading Physicians as being less heating to the spine than any other"). By the end of the 1880s, the bustle had been defined and fashion was focusing on other areas of the body.

on other areas of the body.

But now, a century after the bottom

dropped out of the bustle business, it is suddenly fashionable once more to wear a dress with a fine exit line. Bare backs plunge to a posterior cleavage and ruffles and bows outline the rear of the most

glamorous designer creations.

Nineteen-eighty-three is set fair to be the Year of the Derrière-just like 1883 before it ... and 1785 ... and 1683 ... and 1584. In my research into the bustle I have discovered a surprising-and hitherto unpublished-fact that for, 400 years the eighth decade has viewed fashion from the

The Bottom Line seems to have started its curve in the 1580s when, in the words of Madge Garland (A History of Fashion, Orbis Publishing Ltd), ladies of the middle classes aped the skirts of their fashionable French sisters "with a contraption known somewhat crudely as a bum-roll. This was an enormous padded sausage which was tied round the hips, making the skirt billow

What goes up, must come down, but back came back interest 100 years on when court dress of the 1680s had curtains of fabric ued up with bows to outline the

back. I turned the pages of fashion history to 1785, where I uncovered the Levite, a gown with the skirt open at the front to show the petticoat and the back in a bustle over a bum-roll or extra starched petticoats. And so to the nineteenth century, when haveles first century, when bustles first rose in the Seventies and swelled to a cresendo in the Eighties, until a rhymster wrote:

Who's responsible, I ask you, For this strange portentous birth Of an ancient hidious fashion? And an echo answered: 'Worth'."

The designers now turning fashion backwards are all the big names, from Karl Lagerfeld for Chloe, with a guitar embroidered across the derrière, to Anthony Price's bustled and bowed Hollywood revamps.

The whole idea of leading the eye down

from the nape of the neck to the waist and beyond is very entic-ing." claims Bruce Oldfield, who says that he especially likes a covered-up front that runs to reveal a bare expanse of flesh.

David Sassoon put a flirty bustled dance dress into his summer collection as a taste of back interest next season. There is a lot of movement towards the back because clothes are getting straighter," he says. "The bustle is a sexy way of moving fabric from the front to back."

The bouffant bustle in cornflower blue organza, scarlet Thai silk or spotted voile is the star of Victor Edelstein's couture collec-tion. "It's a natural progression, because people don't want big crinolines any more," says Edelstein, whose fishtails of fabric unpopper so you can

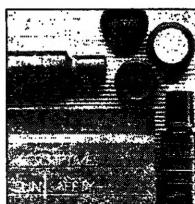
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### American traumas

Jacqueline Bayler Kennedy. Times-Herald as a photo-Tonight there is thine Gloria columnist. This job seems to I and chill. Happy at Last have consisted of accepting thurtael, and on Sunday there people on the street, asking will be The Grate Kelly Story.

The Packie Kennedy story with her at the age of five and caded with the day of the assassanation. We were spared a She to recense ment of these though not.

I suspect because it was thought that sufficient hurt had been done already.

Stockbroker but leaves him for lack Kennedy (James Francis cus), and marries him despite his obliviousness to her ward.

At five, in this version, Miss Bouvier was having a bad time. We first saw father. Blackjack Bouvier (Rod Taylor), lolloping on her 78 costumes. and crouching over the lawns towards the family homestead like a man who has forgotten where the loo is. He wears an idiot grin and top hat white tie. and tails. Usis early morning her he is going to be President, and though little Jackie greets him enthusiastically, wife Janet though it were a fait accomplication of the fraction of the fr cromber see their future. The first is "Denta you dare", as he raises his head for a conciliatory smack our the second; shortly afterwards at the horse show there Jackie is accusation.

It seems

divorte Jack" So, the scape is not too coscored set. The parents separated mother remarries and. as the film would have it a constant tug-of-war ensues over Jackie. Her sister may have been similarly effected but the scriptwriter. Steven Gethers, who less than the proved, profiling and smiling like mad, that whatever is wrong with America it is not dentistry. Let us hope we age spared. Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy Onassis. who also directed, obviously had enough drama on his hands without going into this.

It is good to be a climate fackie, played by the former relationship, with ITV chucking several how American myth at us. It would last night with Jacqueline Banter Kennedy. Times-Herald as a reserved them daft questions and photo-graphing their astonished faces. Soon Jackie is promoted to

> She becomes engaged 20% a stockbroker but leaves him far robe - at all times she is magnificently shod, some \$250,000 having been expended

The script made it hard to choose the most banal line but my favourite came when she is sharing an office lunch with Senator Jack, who has just told

mauled in touch football with lot of Kennedy lookalikes. tells her You've got appar-roo. You've got class. Mr Gethers managed to clude that

It seems that what aways the American famous is not canonization but banalization. 1iss Smith and Mr Franciscus gave it their best which means that they proved, profiling and

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Metzinger's The Yellow Feather (left), privately desirable regardless of public ranking, and essential mainstream Picasso in his Pierrot and Harlequie of 1990, continuation of the period covered by the exhibition of the period covered by the exhi

Galleries

### Changing the world's sensibility

The Essential Cubism

Tate

When the organizers of the Tate's grand new exhibition, Douglas Cooper and Gary Tinterow, call it The Essential Cubism they really mean just that. Their scorn is unleashed on the so-called Cubist Movement in Paris represented by Gleizes, Villon, Metzinger et al ("pa-paretie"), the work of de la Fresnaye is dismissed in its totality as "pastiches". and the Cubism of Futurists, Vorticists and Russians like Malevich, Exter and good russians the materied, and russians are misconstrued. No doubt special and words do not accessarily (except in the case of the funfortunate de la Fresnaye, nicely if ankindly characterized as standing in the case of the standard of t same relation to Cubism as Bastienabsolute aesthetic thumbs-down: accordthe to their own lights the artists concerned may well have been capable ediough, but as Cubists they leave all too

much to be desired.

It is, of course, quite under-standable that they did not really belong to the movement, when you bear in mind that Cooper and Tinterow deny that Cubism was a movement answay. Taking their cub from a statement made by Juan Gris in 1925, they see Cubism as "not a manner but an aesthetic: it is a state of mind". And the attainment of this Holy Grail was vouchsafed to very few, and to them as individuals gifted "simply" with

"a new way of representing the world".

When you come down to it. only Picasso and Braque were essentially essential. Even Gris, who could hardly have been closer to the centre of things. said that he "never consciously and after mature reflection became a Cubist, but,

as finally accepted as one. Leger also scrapes in but on the strength of just four years, 1910-1913, when he was making truly Cubist paintings. Though sculpture is not an important part of the exhibition's concerns. Laurens and Lipchitz are also admitted into the Holy of Holies, and there is a scattering of paintings by the likes of Villon, Delaunay. Metzinger and Gleizes, if only so that we can see for ourselves how far they fell

most comparable exhibitions over the last few years have confused size with stature and thrown in just about exercines in the state of the s dards, a small show; there are in works on display. It does mean, ion of them are masterpieces and key taks in the evolution of the twentiethcontury sensibility. For that is ultimately the significance of what Braque and Secasso dal between 1908 and 1913: they hi not invent a style, much less a comula; but alone they modified the sergibility of the world by shifting art sociously away from the perceptual approach of the Impressionists to a conceptual approach to external reality. The rnew way of representing the world has as much to do with the mind of the

artist as with his eve. Nevertheless, whatever the self-styled conceptual artists of the 1970s may try to persuade us, art is not just the quasitelepathic communication of mind with mind: the thing that is made and the eye which perceives it must remain at the centre of the process. The infinitely informative catalogue to this show rightly (open until July 10) will ever see art or the insists on the intuitive nature of the Picasso Braque revolution, and its issue in great painting as well as in world-changing

ideas. There is not denying that the rooms of the exhibition devoted entirely to the most severely analytical of Picasso's and Braque's canvases with their pervasive neutral tones, their almost obsessive shuffling of a few basic still-life props—bottles, musical instruments—with analytic of contraints. indistinguishable elements of portrait or Provencal landscape, can be chilling for those more attuned to Impressionist and Fauve riots of colour and light:

And today, once one's eye (yes, the eye much more imperantly than the mind) has grown accusomed to this scrupulously understated at those for once without dilution, the effect is of an austere and classic beauty which are this rarified atmosphere well as the author to the relative warmth and shourfulness of the synthetic phase Control or a project of the synthetic phase. Control or a project of the synthetic phase Control or a project of the synthetic phase.

warmth and shoarfulness of the synthetic phase; Gris in particular has seldon looked so attractive as well-should be as attractive as the should be as at the seldon looked so attractive as the strain wonderous, dominated as it is by his turning-point painting forman in Blue of 1912.

If we here to apply to this show the primary accordance test proposed last week at the National Gallery, many of us might admit in our heart of hearts that we would rather own something like Metzinser's The rather own something like Metzinger's The Yellow Feather on Delaunay's Windows Open Simultaneously, "essential" or not, or even are admittedly marginal Picasso-like the 1908. Landscape, which looks. rather as if snipped from the background of a Rousseau, than one of the majestic key works. But a definitive exhibition requires us to scale the heights as well as world in quite the same wavegain.

Hilary Finch meets Christian Bade conductor of Exp's

The Gambles at the

## challeng

made his operate debute in Gumbler though once you put London in David Rountre's the puzzle together it makes new production and thinslation sense and there's nothing left of Prokofiev's The Chimilarities of over.

English National Opera It was Prokofiev found Dessoevs.

to be delayed until 1929. Brussels: the Russian paywas on the radio in the only previous time saw it was in Serbos roa 1962 Edinburgh sesti 1979 a critic wrote "the needs translation" we century techniques. 1902 Edinburgh Sesting. 100 per use the first was passe and 1979 a critic wrote the opera that comemporary taste deneeds translation the pre-party taging threw down just the sound and much pre-party tagents. and much pre-politic pane study". Judging by the notice of Pountney's and Padea's Tolla boration, those conditions have now at last been net.

now at last been net.

As well as bringing Shosiakovich's original version of sadv
Macheth of Misches in 1980 to
the Spoleto Festival, of varich
he is musical director. Christian
Badea worked swan David
Pountney on Scades at Misches livete. Pountney on City Queen of Spades at V Opera, where, incidentally this production of The Gambler had talking to vir hades it file its birth. Both operas are studies talking to a director as much a conductor. His native Romana. novel was largely autobio nia, with its strong theatmeraphical his wife wrote in her traditions provided the stimudiary of "some kind of night-liss for him to be singing and

gaming tables in Baden-Both are propelled by un psychological momental Prokofiev's hero plays his of chance in a different society. Where thinks Hermann could retain honour by taking by Alexey is left to division consequences.

"It's really ama Mr Badea, "that a 44 Prok was able to bring such a no

to Dostoevsky's novel.

The young Romanian conduction than one opera there, and much tor Christian Backer last their is prelevant. In The

of Prokofiev's The Combination of the Combination of Prokofiev's The Combination of Combination 1916: the first performance had inspiration for his operation niere prose dialogue set in catural and speech inflexion supported and ritain enhanced by the orchestra. And at the Disabiler containent at the aging threw down just the sort of nance gauntlet that Prokofiev leapt to

> Mr Badea is excited by the challenge of the score itself "Prokoliev was one of the brightest, most original talents brightest, most original talents in a brilliant and very exciting period - the time of Stravinsy's Rue of Spring, of Mahler's symphonies, of Strauss's Salame and Elelara, of Shostakovich's First Symphony and Lady Macheth."

diary of some kind of night- less for him to be singing and mare that took complete pos- conducting popera choruses session of my husband" at the when he was only 12 while trinking in productions from

but movies and television. After studying and playing the violin lates in Burchagett and Brussels and kit to conduct was invited by his Crarre are a at Spoleto in 1977 and, when the musical director died. Badea took over.

directing too: The Soldier's Tale when he was a student at Juilliard, and Rigoletto and Toxa in Georgia. "It's very was able to bring such a name facted drama together so tilently and so powerfully by he music is like a collage, a bat idoscore—the moods change very fast. It's continuation too—think of his music for the films of his the opera thearre, because it can swallow you up. I like to balance symphonic and operatic way Prokofiev wast in his spouth just happened to be secretly, he still cherishes the perfectly suited to chematic desire to do some more directing. After conducting Samuel Barber's Antony and chniques. directing After conducting "You don't have the grand Samuel Barber's Antony and sweeps, the arias and the duets. Cleopatra this year at Spoleto of, say, Dvorak in Rusulka or and after concerts in Chicago, Switzerland and Amsterdam, he Spades. It's made in segments, is planning to conduct and and Prokofiev stays very close direct a Fidelio. "Somewhere in The she States I know just what I

Jean Russell Taylor | Queen of Spades is very discult want to do, and it'll be a very to produce because the samore very unusual production ....

is to present a taries on five consecutive Ruskin.

 A major retrospective exhibition of the work of Sir Sidney Nolan is to take place at the Grosvenor Museum, Chester, opening on July 22. The exhibition coincides with the première in the city's Gateway Theatre of a new music drama. time kelly's Road Show by Edward Cowic, with designs by Sir Sidney.

After six successful years at the Half Moon Theatre, Robert Walker has resigned his artistic directorship to pursue 21 independent career as a free-

### Opera North

Josephs's du Maurier Opera North is presenting four the Austrian director. Hans sew productions, including a Hollman, making his British world premiere, among the 12 debut.

operas in its 1983-84 season. sponsorship for the first time.

Rebecca is produced by Colin
Graham and conducted by
David Lloyd-Jones, Opera

North's artistic director, with Howard as Mrs Danvers.

is of Wilfred Josephs's Rebecca, on December 21, is the third new production, conducted by the Roberto Abbado, and produced by the Romanian Andrei backed by Schweppes, who are

backed by Schweppes, who are entering the field of arts sponsorship for the first time. Rebecca is produced by Colin and Conducted by debut as Azucena. The fourth production

Gillian Sullivan as the second Gluck's Orpheus and Eurydice, Mrs de Winter and Ann which will be sung in English. It Howard as Mrs Danvers.

The season opens in Leeds on Philip Provse, and conducted October 7 with a new pro- by David Lloyd-Jones, opening duction of Die Eledermans by on March3.

### King's Singers Festival Hall

The King's Singers 15 years old? Heavens, that dates us all, and

With their unique ability to slip from Arcadelt to Hoagy Carmichael without anyone noticing the difference, the King's Singers invented the profitable art of "crossover" long before translantic executives so named it and deemed it Kay's one-man rhythm section to be the one salvation of a on the bass line, and no doubt failing classical record market. the balance of the ensemble

Heavens, that dates us all, and personniel in the past few years, dates our musical life too, for Bill Ives has established a lively the jovial after-dinner throwa-spersonality on the tenor line way undergraduate fun of 1967; some unto us a people in his honour), while staple diet of our entertain-life same with a little Inmanindustry.

With their unique ability to Twick Sives an unexpected twhich gives an unexpected twist to Rossini's Barber of

As the newest acquisition, Colin Mason has by far the hardest task, supplanting Brian But even this smooth, sophis- (and some of its bass-heavy

tiented machine must change its partial occasionally, and in should night's celebratory soncest the group found itself, I shought, slightly ill-at-case. Among the various switches of wholly professional in their least the sum of th

Seville Overture).

wholly professional in their singing.

If it took Suiday night's concert a while so get off the ground, with paint folk-song arrangements and Renaissance madrigals both sounding somewhere between a farbershop and nineteenth-century church anthems, patience was revailed with a neat Hungarian fable in Lains by Andras Szóllosy (a late substitute for a Malcoim Arnold substitute for a Malcom Arnold commission and an advertised James Wood work) and by the best of the encores, in which their ineffable politeness slipped just a fraction.

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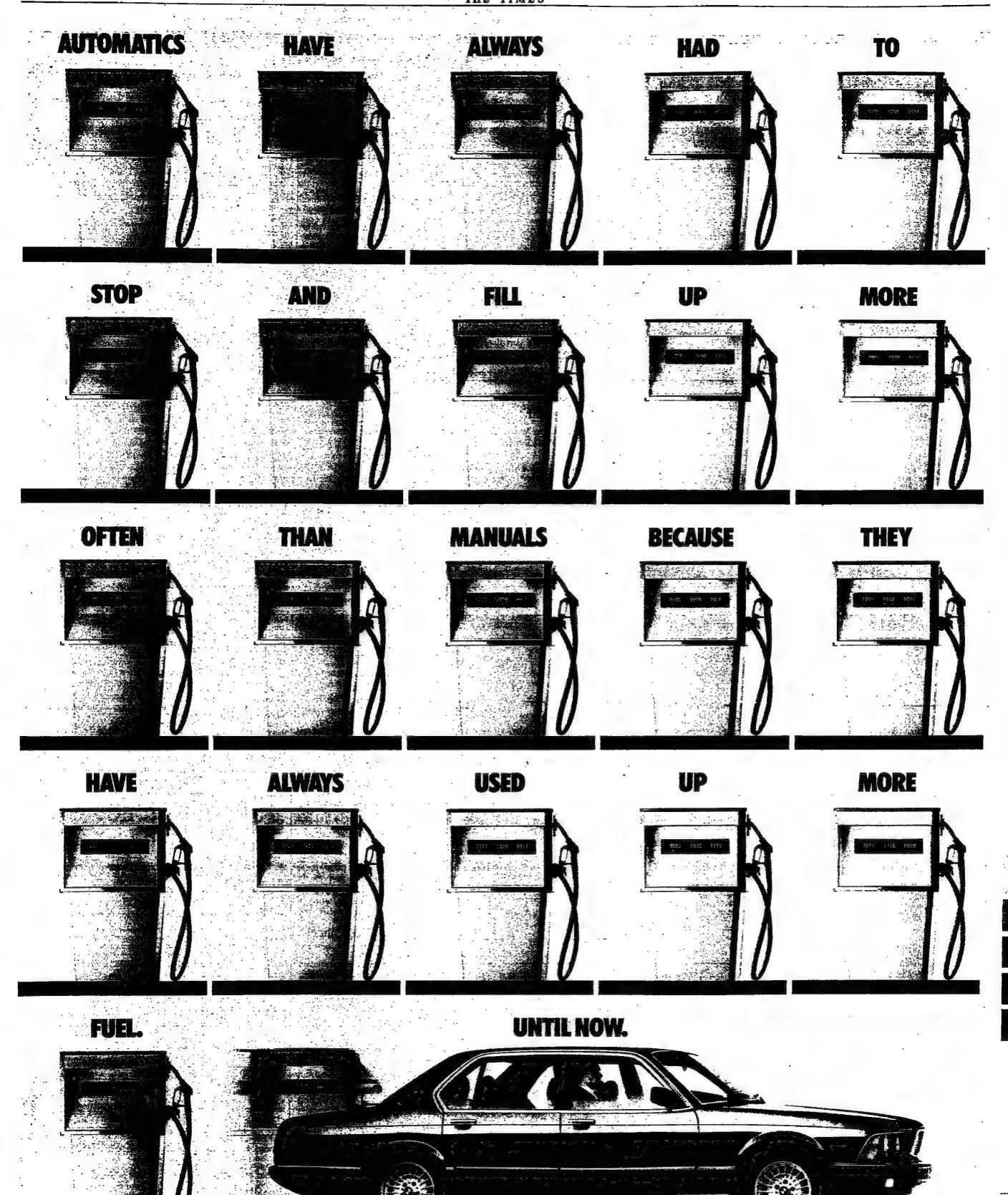
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### His number's up

Edmund Marshall, the Oxford double first in mathematics who first spotted that the new constituency boundaries would be worth an extra 20 seats to the Conservatives and who inspired and researched Labour's legal challenge to them, is now himself a victim of the changes. Marshall, who has represented the vanishing Goole since 1971, was pitted against Mick Welsh. MP for Don Valley, in the contest for the new safe Labour seat. Doncaster North. He lost, by what is described as a "substantial" majority.

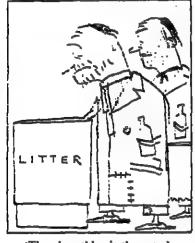
### For Latin lovers

Despite the deterioration in our Despite the deterioration in our relationships with South America. London is to have a Latin-American cultural centre. A Grade I listed building in Grafton Way, off Tottenham Court Road, acquired by the Venezuelan government some years ago, now has the contractors in after being squatted or empty for cars. The house is the one in which the Venezuelan national hero. Francisco de Miranda, lived from 1803 to 1810 with Sarah Andrews, the daughter of an English cobbler, who bore him two sons.

### Out of control

The Guild of Air Pilots and Air Navigators is mystified. Two dozen books in its Westminister library have taken off and disappeared without trace. The guild says the books are not accounted for in the library signature book, and the loss is about £250. The titles include Flight Operations. In Every Hands. and Accidents Can Happen.

BARRY FANTONI



There's nothing in there, pal. just a load of petitions to the Russian embassy'

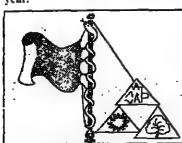
### School's out

Neil Kinnock, Labour's spokesman on education, takes the opportunity of speech-making visits around the country to look at the local schools wherever he happens to be. Tonight he speaks in Bedford, and the chairman of the education committee. Fred Barley, has refused him permission to set foot in any of the schools. The reason he gives is that the local elections on Thursday are too close for education establishments to be associated with any "political activity". Kinnock says he has never been so balked before.

Can it be that even the Queen thinks the one pound coin stinks? The royal proclamation, as printed in The London Gazette, refers to the "Ensigns Arontlal of Our United Kingdom" inscribed on the reverse.

### Wait for it

There is unconcealed exuberance at the Royal Opera House over the precurtain triumph of the Placido Domingo-Kiri te Kanawa partner-ship, opening tonight in Puccini's Manon Lescaut. Demand for seats has been greater than for anything since the Callas-Gobbi Tosca of 1964, with all performances sold out and regulars left to vie for tickets in a ballot. Unlike 1964, though, losers will still have a chance to see the show, when Covent Garden markets its video of the opera later in the vear.



You were full of bright ideas for new Euroflag better than that adopted from the Council of Europe. I liked Tony Dalton's "armandaleg" unit of currency on a field of very small print: V. J. Humphreys's ring o'roses motif; and Graham Smith's stagoant green Escher triangle, surrounded by red tape. The winner had similar ideas, and more. Michael Millard proposed an inflexible flag of three interlocked and eccentrically mountain-shaped elements to be flown in triplicate and opposed to each country's national flag. The uppermost has a blind maze of red tape around the letters CAP and VAT. The parliamentary pennant has a hot-air balloon like a rhubarb leaf on a moonshinecoloured ground, and must provide buoyancy to support the other pennants. The commission balloon has a stellar composition of grasping hands around gold, making vernacular gestures of independence and each restraining the next hand's

The whole is supported on snake-wreathed pole, bearing on a universal ball joint, guyed in counterpoise to be irreversible but capable of limited lateral deviation. Well worth the bubbly.

### Hearts and minds - and bodies

The United States has spent hundreds of millions of dollars on military aid to El Salvador. The government's security forces now total more than 30,000 men. Yet they are hard-pressed to oppose an estimated 5,000 guerrillas, and US officials speak of grave danger that the war will be lost.

Why? That is the question that hands of the President Reagan's call for a benefit of commitment in El Salvador, Why hasn't the effort produced a military solution so far? Why should it do better from here on? And if it does not work, what follows?

Many American military experts have visited El Salvador and found faults in the organization and tactics of the government forces. They are a 9-to-5 army, it is said, with many indolent or corrupt officers. The soldiers are often unwillingly pressed into service, and care so little about winning the war that they sell arms and ammunition to the guerrillas.

But the problem obviously goes deeper than poor officers or undisciplined men. It goes to the attitudes of the Salvadoran public. Many people simply do not identify with the government's cause, do not see it as their own. That is not so hard to understand, given the facts of life - and death.

El Salvador has a population of about five million in 8.260 square miles. In the fast three and a half years, in that small country, government security forces have killed more than 35,000 civilians. An additional 2,000 have disappeared after being taken atto-custody by the security forces. Not one

The present government has a reputation for stinguiess in public

expenditure and caution in granting

tax concessions. Indeed, one of the most familiar criticisms of its

economic policies is that it has been too mean with the public sector's

finances. The gradual reductions in

the public sector borrowing require-ment (PSBR) are alleged to have

withdrawn spending power from the

economy and thereby exacerbated

There has been a significant fall in

the PSBR in the last four years, but

most of it has been attributable to

higher tax revenues on North Sea oil

profits. An increase in revenues from this source has almost no effect

on demand in the mainstream, non-

oil economy and cannot be indicted

as a cause of the recession. This

point is very important in under-

standing recent economic develop-ments but has received surprisingly

Relevant figures are given in the table. In 1977/78 the PSBR was £5,600m and North Sea taxes were nil. In 1978/79, the final year of Mr

Healey's chancellorship, the PSBR was £9,200m and North Sea taxes

were still negligible at only £200m.

In 1982/83, after four years of

supposedly tight fiscal policies, the PSBR was again £9.200m, but North

Sea taxes amounted to £7.800m. If

this windfall is added to the actual

PSBR to arrive at an underlying

figure comparable to the last two years under Mr Healey, the PSBR tripled between 1977/78 and

Of course, analysis in money

terms is misleading in a period of inflation. The table therefore gives

figures for the PSBR as a proportion

allow a fairer comparison. This

The truth is more complicated."

the recession.

little comment.

Anthony Lewis puts the case against increased American aid to El Salvados

member of the forces has the successfully prosecuted.

The figures come from offices established by the Roman Catholic archehocese in San Salvador to keep track of the violence. Its Office of Legal Oversight tallied these murders of civilian mon-combatants by security forces during the first three months of this year, January, 430; February, 537; March. 329. The same office records murders of civilians by the guerrilla forces. It found seven in January, 13 in February, six in March.

Those of us who live safely under authority restrained by faw must find it hard to imagine life in such conditions. At the barest minimum people want some expectation of security - of life - from their government. How can a regime whose armed forces kill 100 of its citizens week after week expect attachment to its cause? How can it win a war, whatever aid it gets?

The questions I raise were are practical ones. I have no illusion that the guerrilla forces and their leaders are all neble democrats, believers in government and law. But they evidently are powerfully

motivated: by a desire to change a society: long marked by brutality and exploitation What US policy will marshal a successful

opposition to them? One possibility would be in change the character of the Salvadoran government and its forces so that people would ideatify with them: would see in them is a see that demonstrate protection. But for a see that power to bring about such a transfer nation

Alternatively, the US could take over the war. But public feeling against anistispatch of US combat forces to El Salvador is so great that it is hard to see how any president could send them.

Lestie H. Gelb explored Salvador policy in a recent article in the New York Times based on extensive talks with administration officials. They said it would take two to seven years before a big US effort started to produce results. But they did not have nswers to such practical questions as these: will Congress want that long the species of Salvadoran death squads Will it keep voting money for a war of indefinite duration? If all else fails, will the administ-

ration advocate sending US forces?

The US got into Vietnam originally, believe, for honest reasons of opposing a communist takeover. But it did not weigh the practicalities, and its intersection ended by doing terrible injury to the Victnaturese and itself. Commitments rade without rectoning the consequences are recther

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noral nor wise.

### Oil, the windfall that could be blown away

the second oil price shock of 1980. PSBR If they had been spent rather generated profits much in excess of those needed to justify the investment. If these profits had not been taxed, most of them would have been sent to the multinationals' shareholders in other countries and so would have had no impact on spending power in Britain.

Fiscal policy has not been "tight" in the sense understood in the Keynesian textbooks. But has it been sensible? The Government claims that its medium-term strategy, in which a reduction in the PSBR was and remains a central element, has transformed Britain's financial position. Britain now has the lowest budget deficit in relation to national income in the industrialized world, greatly helping monetary control and the containment of inflation.

This claim is broadly correct. although the Government would be honest if it recognized that the progress so far achieved owes more to a fortunate gift of nature than to any particular success in cutting public expenditure. The North Sea revenues could have been used in other ways, to boost public spending or lower taxes, and not to limit the

about 6 per cent of national income and monetary management would remain difficult...

Another important aspect needs to be emphasized. By cutting the amount it borrows, the Government has made smaller demands on the pool of demestic savings. As a result, pension funds, insurance companies and, indeed, private approach is to regard the North Sea individuals have been able to invest as an unreliable source of revenue heavily abroad. By these mechan- and to run; in abnormally, large isms. North Sea money has indirectly financed the acquisition of foreign assets on a much greater scale than would otherwise have

North Sea oil is a finite resource. Although much depends on future balance of payments

been possible.

discoveries and oil price move-ments, the phase of maximum profitability is now clearly coming to an end. As the benefits from the North Sea are of a once-for-all rather than continuing character, it would have been inappropriate for Britain to have stepped up its consumption by the full amount of the extra tax revenues. The Government's policy, which has led to low budget deficits,

North Sea oil taxes and fall in the PSBR

shows that in 1982/83, the PSBR/GDP ratio adjusted for North Sea taxes was virtually the same as		PSBR (£1,000m)	North Sea taxes (£1,000r	for North Sea n) taxes (21,000m)
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British fiscal policy will be at the mercy of the international oil market for the forestable future. In these circumstances, the correct approach is to regard the North Sea contingency reserve to give protec-tion against the risk of a big oil price fall. In fact, in the latest Budget, Sir Geoffrey Howe provided for a smaller confinency reserve in the coming fiscal year than in the last. There has understandably and rightly, been critical comment about this retrograde step. The news that the 1982/83 PSBR was £9,200m.

instead of the £7,500m estimate announced in the Budget re-emphasizes the dangers of too cavalier an attitude to public expenditure control. The vulnerability of the Government's finances to oil price changes argues for continued caution in fiscal policy. There are advocates of a higher budget deficit on the grounds that, if unemployment was at a more normal level. I sector would have a financial

They have failed to recognize that a government enjoying a temporary text athering bonanza because of a natural resource windfall should, as a matter of prudence, rurra surplus.

It is a myth that fiscal policy has been restrictive in Britain in the last four years and it would be a mistake to embark on hiter public sector borrowing now. The drop in the PSBR since 1978/85 over more to the bounty of the North Sea than to an underlying shift in the pattern of public expenditure and tax revenue in the non-oil ecomony.

### Tim Congdon

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### was carried out largely by foreign-owned multinationals and, thanks to Now May is here, can winter be far behind?

A cold, wet April has given way to a cold, wet May, instead of bumper-to-bumper traffic jams on roads to the coast over the holiday weekend, all but the hardiest stayed hiddors out of the wind, rain and occasional snow. Do we have any reason to feel cheated by having so much miser-able spring weather?

Our expectations are based partly on art and poetry depicting April as a month of rapidly returning warmth. The medieval Books of Hours show April as a scene of activity in the garden in a leaf-decked setting against azure sky. Over the centuries poets have

presented the same image of a month full of warm west wind, bursting buds, blossom and life-giving showers. Few of them are prepared to admit the intrusion of the sleet and cold, drenching rain of recent weeks, though Cowper got it nearer the mark in his definition: 'Our severest winter, commonly called spring".

Examination meteorological records does in fact show that this April, although exceptionally wet, was in keeping with many earlier springs. Only two years ago we had heavy snow over much of the country in the fourth week of the month. More generally the cool springs of the past 10 to 15 years mark a return to the conditions of the previous two centuries, the more frequent early warmth of the 1940s and 1950s being the exception.

A more realistic view of spring is



The beach to themselves : ... all buttoned up for bank holiday in Boliru

many references to the cold of April. About the harvest are prema-The term biackthorn winter notes the fact that it is often very cold in the second week of April, when the blackthorn normally flowers.

Times readers will not be

surprised to learn that the return of the cuckoo in mid-April is linked with both the weather and the coming harvest; If the cuckoo sings when the hedge

Sell thy horse and buy the corn. This saying forecasts that a cold spring with late vegetation produces a poor hay crop but is followed by a better summer and harvest. But the claim of folklore that a pattern exists between the seasons is

not supported by the meteorological statistics. Cold springs have not in the past been followed by any particular type of summer. But, unfortunately, very wet Aprils do seem to have been followed by wet

As for the harvest, the behaviour. crops is even more complex. Cereals are in general remarkably resilient and fare well in moderately PHS | A more realistic view of spring is restitent and lare west in moderatory | London and Framipanity | reflected in folklore, which contains | cool, damp summers. So any current | second week of June 1787.

Continent a bad spring retards the than the pall of dust in the upper progress of vines and leads to a poor atmosphere that now encircles the vines to flower late, contract diseases and lose many embryo grapes. Those that survive often protect themselves with thick skins and form tiny fruit. Irregular flowering also produces tardy grapes. which the French call "conscripts", as they enter the fray too late to do mach good.:

extreme cases these can do great damage to orchards well into May. So far this year we have avoided such extremes, though late frosts have been common in recent years. But there is still plenty of time. Frost in the third week of May 1935 destroyed four-tifths of the country's fruit crop, while Gilbert White recorded widespread frost damage in London and Hampshire in the

So we do not have to look for an ture.

A late start causes lasting harm to have seen if all too often before, those crops that need plenty of Those not patisfied with warmin Both is England and on the explanation need look no startier. vintage. Cold and wet causes the globe as a consequence of the massive eruption of the volcago El Chinchon in Mexico a year ago.

There is considerable debate about the effects of volcanoes on the weather. But it is generally accepted that in extreme cases they will lead to cooling of the global climate for a year or two after eruption. In particular, cold summers in Britain Even more damaging to fruit and often seem to occur from six to 18 vegatables are late killing frosts. In months after such eruptions. So maybe this April is part of such a process and an angury of the SUMMER TO COME

Whatever the reasons for the current weather, it is probably best to accept that it is part and parcel of our climate and not to read too much into current fluctuations. Meanwhile, "Cast ne'er a clout 'nil

W. J. Burroughs

Roger Scruton

### Gulliver and the gullible...

atting that researches into the ancient Treatises of Education by the Centre for Policy seething their in Vinegar and Galles had been partly resonsible. He assured me that one small drop On reading that researches into the life by the Centre for Policy seeding had been partly resonance for The Prime Minister recent creation of a Minister for Guidesen's Play, I recalled a passage is my connoisseur's edition of continer's Travels: "I came at last to the Academy, which is but an massum, ing Structure, with neither Phrecourt nor Garden. The Warden received

him such an Air of melancholy Dejection, as wholly to discourage my Hope that he would be able to

had concluded that the Principle of the observed in Floring that I to

no different from the 10 observed in Flowers, which grownaturally together in Societies, and reproduce themselves by sending abroad Pollen upon the Legs of Bees abroad Pollen upon the Legs of Bees He did assure me that Families result from a naturally affining caused by the Proximity of Rien and Women, and that there highlid by not the slightest Difficulty in searing Children skilled in all the crapes of Society, were the invisible Anginutes, which distribute human Polled to be trained to by only towards the Person intended to receive them. He explained to me an ingenious explained to me an ingenious Device, which I was not skilful enough to comprehend, whereby these Animules might be induced into small glass Chambers, and so conveyed by learned Doctors unto the Recipient, who would infallibly.

conceive. By such improvements, he said, it would be possible completely to determine the Number, Character and Nurture of the unborn Gener ation, so removing the chiment of chance which had hitherto impeded human Progress, and he lamented only that Fier Majesty had so far received his Ideas with Scepticism, arguing that since she herself had conceived without the aid of his Appliances, she did not see why her Subjects should require them.

I went next into another Labora-tory, but hastened back, being overcome with a most horrible Stink. My Conductor pressed me forward, conjuring me in a Whisper to give no Offence, which would be highly resented. The Researcher of this Chamber was the most in-sections Scholar, who for many years had been employed about a singular Operation, whereby he sought to extract the Wisdom from

of this Tincture would instil into the of this Tincture would instil into the most obdurate Youth that compliant Disposition which would fit him for the Uses of Society. I saw him rry the Experiment on a rough Boy, dragged from a neighbouring Closet, who, upon rasing the Concoction that was forced between his line fell down in a Surrand

nor Garden. The Warden received.

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After a long Silence, during which the learned Doctor remained motionless, I made bold to reveal the purpose of my Visit, and to beseem the resonance camply by altering the him to inform me whether he was prompted it. He therefore proposed yet discovered the Principle whether an ingenious Device, which have Thrim themselves into lasting an ingenious Device, which he was a magenious between Family, an arresponding that the principle whether the was a magenious Device, which he was a magenious between Family, and a magenious between the proposed an ingenious about the Questions and the political Body, had concluded that the Principle was a presented to those subject to its had been thirty Years employing the remaining that their Names, my Puzzlement could their Names, Regimen, as to taking through every change in the political Body. This Doctor therefore proposed, that Researches received from Treasury should henceforth be known as Family Allowances, and all taxes as Family Dues', by which simple Improvement, he did assure me, the Institution of the Family should prove as lasting as the natural Avarice of Mankind.

In another Chamber I encoun tered a Projector who, by the Dignity of his Robes, I assumed to be a Man of great consequence. He see seed any business productly, and told me that he had been engaged for many Years in the most exacting mental Labours, about the very Question that I proposed, and that in his considered Judgement, Children could be brought readily to accept the Burdens and Duties of Society provided only that smable facilities were provided for the Development of their native Ingenunty. He particularly mentioned the fartive Kiss, an Action whereby the Koong learn simultaneously to conteal and to disclose their amorous Intentions. It was a singular Misfortune, he said, that there were so few Localities in which the fartive Kiss could now be practised. But he assured me with pleasure that Her Majesty had greeted his ideas most warmly and and assured him that Furtive Kissing contributes alike to Initiative and to Responsibility, the two most precious Virtues upon which the Future will be founded. And the learned Doctor told me that a Proclamation had that very Day sone forth from the Palace, in which he was named as Minister of the Futive Kiss.

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### Geoffrey Smith

### A Labour tendency to duck the issue

For the second month in succession Mr Foot's motives. He believes the Labour Party's national executive committee declined last week to Labour movement, and he must fear tive committee declined last week to
take any further action against the that any further action against
Militant Tendency. Indeed, for the Militant now would be bound to be second month in succession it disruptive at a time when the party decided not even to discuss the question. As the next full meeting of coming closer together, the NEC is not until May 25, this almost certainly means that it there without apparently a murmur of is a June election no effective action; protest? The principal reason is that

on the television programme Weekend World on October 3, he denied that he had changed his mind about getting rid of the Militant candi-dates, though he was careful not to commit himself as to how and within anything might be done about their anything might be done about their Subsequently he has given the impression to colleagues that he is in the state of the first rebruary meeting the National to expel the five members of the Militant editorial board. Therefore its next meeting on March 23 which the meeting on March 23 which was meeting on March 23 which we meeting on March 23 which we meeting on March 23 which was meeting on the meeting of the meeting

tis next meeting on March 23 acted before it three motions on Military. The in the name of Miss to a school of the party should be expelled on the ground that he dishe was a reader or supporter of the Military newspaper. Militant newspaper.
Another, put forward by Mr.
Denis Howell, suggested that all regions, constituencies, branches and affiliated organizations should be informed that the affiliation organization should not be provided with any facilities on Labour Party occasions. The third, from Mr John Golding, proposed that a subcommittee of the NEC should be formed to consider further against

formed to consider further action. None of these motions dealt specifically with the question of Militant candidates. But Mr Golding's was designed to lead to action against them. The meeting was held, lowever, the day before the Darlington by-election, and Mr Foot asked the committee not to risk spoiling Labour's excellent chances of victory there by discussing any of the three motions on that occasion.
Last week the same three motions came up again, but this time Mr Sam McCluskie, the party chairman,

said that it would be inappropriate to discuss any of them because of the threat of legal action from Militant, and the NEC-proceeded swiftly to the next business. It would be remarkable if Mr McCluskie 100k such action without Mr Foot's prior

It is not difficult to understand

is a June election no enective action protest? The principal reason is that can be taken to prevent active they were not sure that they would supporters of Militant from standing have won had they pressed the as official Labour candidates: question. They believed, that Mr. This contrasts strangely with the Foot might well have opposed them impression given by Labour leaders; and that Mr. Kinnock and Mr. John have actually the first confer of the switch have followed his leaders. The protection of the switch have followed his leaders. When the first protections are actually the switch have followed his leaders. Militant. When Mr Foot himself was winger, has up to now sided against questioned just after the conference Militant in critical NEC voting On Militant in critical NEC voting. On this occasion it was feared he would probably not have done so.

For the right to have forced a decision which they lost would have been particularly damaging not only would it have given renewed confidence to Militant but would also have sent the wrong signals to also have sent the wrong signals to country and party. The right were the last hardy and the right were the last hardy any Militant candidate is in with a serious chance of being elected. In Liverpool Militants have been autefly standing down. Only Mr Pat Wall in Bradford is considered to have any hope of success.

But there are two disadvantages for Labour in allowing such calculations of prudence to be decisive. The party will almost certainly now be represented by some candidates whom most of the leaders believe ought not to be elected. To some extent that is always the case in every party. Mrs harcher will no doubt have a quet shelider a dose carrying the Conservative banner in some constituencies. But that is not the same as having some candidates whose election would be regarded by their leaders as positively damaging

to parliamentary democracy.
Some right-wingers on the NEC believe that Labour might still avoid this danger — or at least give the impression of avoiding it — by having what is sometimes termed the metal-labour might be Man-Mau the party's version of the Mau-Mau oath that is asking each candidate simply to declare that he is not an active supporter of Militant. But so transparent a device would carry in credibility.

The second disadvantage is that an opportunity has been lost to send a message to the party and the country that Labour is no tong prepared to tolerate such extremism.
Getting rid of Militant would not by
itself purge the party. But the act. would be symbolic Not doing R may also be regarded as symbolic.

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### JUNE APPROACHES

Tomorrow is the fourth anniver- or of the removal of it, on the for getting on with it that was not first term as prime minister. It is allow her mind to play upon the the election. means of transition to her own processes. On Thursday are local elections in England and Wales, less London. For the will be pored over for what it made of it, is a major legislative tells or does not tell about contribution to the fight against Sunday is a council of war at Mrs Thatcher is expected to have announced her choice or rejection of the June option. She may tease it out further, but she would be unwise to do so.

Her difficulty about June has been two-fold. First to get the calculation of probabilities right. The local elections, though difficult to interpret and far from conclusive, are an important. piece of evidence, worth waiting for. Her other difficulty has been the want of a respectable prefext for going to the country so far in advance of necessity.

Her earlier asides on the subject and her whole approach to government have pointed the other way. To jump at a favourable opportunity a year before time would be out of character and call for some explanation - at least for the benefit of those to whom it is not self-evident that whatever moment is most favourable for the party of the Prime Minister is the right and proper moment to dissolve parliament.

No pretext has presented itself. The Government is under no exceptional pressure from external events or internal weakness. Its mandate is still valid. The pound, whose vulnerability to political speculation was at one time being advanced as a reason for an early election, is just now conspicuously affected by movement in the world oil price and conspicuously unaffected by election jitters. The justification is to go in June. approaching climax of the disarmament talks in Geneva far as it brings in its train remains an important consider- bureaucratic and commercial ation in the timing of a general. hesitations while the judgmentelection. But the effect of of the electorate is awaited

sary of the start of Mrs Thatcher's progress of those negotiations is there before. too speculative to be the decisive the day on which she would first factor in determining the date of

June means throwing away the second term, according to her time spent on the Telecommuninow implausible account of her cations Bill, a large act of privatization which is a line of policy strenuously promoted by this Government, and the Police following two days the voting Bill which, for all the criticisms general election chances. On crime", one of the Government's highest priorities. What urgency Chequers. By this day next week commands dissolution before these measures reach the statute

Furthermore, to go to the country at the very first signs of recovery from the depth of recession and by the light of inflation and unemployment indices which it is admitted will look slightly worse in a few. months' time is to throw into relief the Opposition's charge of cut and run". It lends credibility to the assertion that the buzz of economic recovery may be destined to peter out in extended stagnation and massive unemployment - for if it were not so, why the rush to seek the approval of the electorate? Mrs Thatcher has got round

the problem of the missing pretext by the simple means of removing the necessity for one. By allowing speculation about a June election to run rife, by doing nothing to check the exuberance of her party zealots, by joining in the guessing game herself, she has within the space of three months transformed the will have managed a notable plainly premature into the almost overdue. The parties are mobilized, though their strat- with those who admire her foregists, mindful of the danger of very different qualities - for her peaking too soon, do not close constancy in the possession of exists mindful of the danger of with each other, preferring to fight proxy wars over such territory as the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament. Expectation is now so swollen that the "natural" thing to do, the course that requires no special expla-

electoral uncertainty in Britain, introduces an objective reason

This is very astute of the Prime Minister - provided that she intended June all along, or provided that the answer spells June when the reckoning of election chances is made next week end. If, on the other hand, her settled preference has been to run the full course of the parliament, or if the reckoning of chances points to a later date, she will find she has boxed herself in.

Her purpose, she says, has been to close no option. In fact in creating for herself an easy June option she has made the others markedly less attractive. If she now passes over June she will appear either to be ducking an opportunity of her own making because in the end she is frightened by the omens; or, if she pleads long-term considerations ("elected for five years", "unfinished tasks" and so on), she will be rightly accused of wantonly encouraging, specu-lation about an intention she did not entertain, when it was within her power to choke it off at any time. The damage thus created might be reduced if she were to announce before the local elections that she will not advise the Queen to dissolve parliament this summer. But even so it would look like running away, so firm has she allowed the expectation to become.

On the assumption once again that it is to be June because that is what she wants, Mrs Thatcher piece of political manipulation. Her reputation will fare less well long views and high aims with no more of calculation in her make-up than is necessary for her to be a politician at all. Another victim of her manipulation will be the system of fiveyear parliaments which will once. nation or more than perfunctory more, and this time guite justification, is to go in June.

Indeed, the expectancy, in so pressed to four. Neither of those bruises suffered in the stampede for June, it may be added, is of an order appreciably to influence the outcome of a general elec-

### WHEN TRUST IS ABSENT

The version of the Police and that they had been "verballed" Criminal Evidence Bill that would be insustainable; court reaches its report stage in the time spent in deciding the House of Commons today is a voluntariness of confessions considerable improvement on would be saved more defend-the original. It is still not a good ants would be likely to plead measure, and its balance is still guilty; and justice would be done unfairly tilted in favour of the rather more often than it is at police at the expense of the present. The police have been, individual who finds himself on the whole, against taping, involved with them. The govern-fearing that it might inhibit their ment has, however, made, or methods of questioning and promised to make, changes that until recently it had seemed that remove some of its more the Government too was lukeobjectionable elements.

to lay down, for the first time, a interpreted as an unnecessary comprehensive code of police delaying device. The Home powers which would apply Office minister responsible for nationally. It has nevertheless attracted a spectacularly wide now made a welcome firm range of opposition, though the commitment to national tape criticism has not always been recording as soon as practicable. founded on a correct under. The Government has also standing of the effect of the accepted in principle that the provisions attacked. Much of the criticism, however, has been well-founded, and the Home Office was right to respond to it. The unexpectedly strong al-liance of doctors, bishops, law-

vers and journalists objecting to the proposed power to allow the police to search confidential files resulted in the withdrawal of that provision. More importantly in practice, though making less age of powers and safeguards will impact on the public, the not be assembled for at least "serious arrestable offence", the another three years (assuming commission of which triggers the the continuation of a Conservaexercise of a variety of police powers, has been redefined from satisfactory, but it is not Instead of its presence being a enough reason to jettison the Bill matter for the subjective dis- altogether until its companion cretion of the police officer, it has now been given an objective. There are still, however, a component, a test of reasonableness, and a list of criteria to be taken into account. Other be judged acceptable. amendments of greater or less practical effect have improved the Bill, without, however,

touching on its main flaw. The Bill's omissions are as significant as the shortcomings of its content. It does not subject to independent outside provide for the tape recording of police interrogation of suspects, and it does not introduce reforms in the prosecution system. These were part of the package proposed by the Royal Commission on Criminal Procedure (though in fact its recommendations on tape re- being compelled to justify the cording were unnecessarily continued detention to the timid). The commission's chair- magistrates. They, in turn, man has explained that all was should have power to extend the not necessarily intended for one time only to 48 hours, or perhaps to be anti-police or soft on crime and the same Bill. But the parts 72 hours in highly exceptional cohere and should form a single circumstances.

programme of reform. reported to the trial court, wording of the clauses in quest which no state can call itself free Spurious claims by criminals tion. The new powers to stop and democratic.

warm. The two-year trial scheme The aim of the Bill is laudable: in six police areas was largely the Bill, Mr Patrick Mayhew, has The Government has also

> prosecution system needs to be changed to take the decision to prosecute out of the hands of the police and give it to some form. of independent authority staffed by lawyers. The method of achieving that objective is presently under consideration by a departmental working party. This means that the separate components of the desired pack-

tive administration). That is far pieces of legislation are ready. number of changes that need to be made to the Bill before it can

Perhaps the most worrying provision allows an interviewee to be kept for 36 hours in police custody without charge, possibly without access to a lawyer, before the detention becomes scrutiny. The police would then have to apply to a bench of magistrates in open court to keep him longer, up to 96 hours in all. These periods are too long-There is no sufficient reason for the police to detain anyone longer than 24 hours without

Most of the objections to the Tape recording would ensure Bill are based as much on public they deserve, and to maintain that whatever was said in the estimations of the way the police, the necessary balance between interview room was accurately will use their powers as on the authority and the citizen without

and search people, for instance, are accompanied by the requirement that the police must have reasonable suspicion that they will find something unlawful, and there is the obligation to keep mericulous records of each search, to be made available to the individual. The black community finds it difficult to accept that the law will not be used oppressively and discrimina-torily against their members, as the old "sus" law sometimes

It is not easy, either, to be confident that the new independent assessor appointed to act as a supervisor over serious complaints against the police will restore flagging public confidence in the system; or that judges will frequently enough exclude improperly obtained evidence; or that the senior police officers or magistrates entrusted with various powers. and discretions will use them sufficiently to restrain excessive police activities

To a large extent, the Bill's reception demonstrates the unhappy fact that there is in our society a degree of mistrust of the police which is not confined to alleged victims of police misbehaviour or the campaigning organizations that take up their cause. The police as a whole continue to deserve, and usually get, the support of the community in their increasingly difficult and sensitive task. There have, however, been too many examples of the police falling below standards of acceptable conduct to be shrugged off, as was once possible, by reference to the odd rotten apple.

Incidents like the shooting of Stephen Waldorf, the Railton Road searches, and the apparent inability of some policemen to get the right address when forcing their way into people's homes hardly help the image. Some of the adverse publicity about the police is unfair or motivated by malice, but there is enough justified criticism to cause disquiet. That is why there is a reluctance to give the police the powers which the Bill provides, without being certain that there are brakes enough on their exercise.

To insist on safeguards is not or criminals. It is rather to ensure that the police continue to have the backing of the society

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Keeping prime ministers in prospect

### Labour's policy on schools

From the Headmoster of Clifton

grateful to Mr Kiznock (April 27) for stating so plainly the intentions of his party towards independent schools, but we cannot allow him to shelter behind his picturesque imagery of bricks, walk and cement. Mr Kinnock blandly offers as "voluntary maintained" status - an invention of the 1944 Act designed

to help local authorities when they were short of secondary-school places. Now that there are so many empty places in the maintained sector that LEAs are faced with the harsh necessity of closing existing schools, how will Mr Kinnock compel local councils to take over private schools which they do not need or want?

In Bristol alone there are ten independent secondary schools of national repute, quite apart from preparatory schools: Does Mr Kinnock think that the rate-payers of Bristol would want to meet the running costs of expensive Victorian buildings at present maintained by fee-income and private benefaction? And does he really believe that local authorities would want to make use of the boarding facilities of our schools, or would be able to turn them into cost-effective community

If he does then Mr Kinnock has lost touch with the realities of local politics. If he does not, then he ought to admit that his talk of voluntary maintained status is a smoke-screen and that he is bent on Yours faithfully.

STUART ANDREWS, Headmaster, Clifton College, Bristol, April 27.

### Trade with Japan

From the Director General of the Committee on Invisible Exports Sir, Mr Bourlet (April 25) seems keen to stress Japan's large invisible deficit with Britain and, accordingly, to back up Japan's argument that she has a large overall defict with the she has a large overall denct with the UK (he puts it at nearly \$2b in 1981) even allowing for her surplus on visible goods. Mr Cudlipp (also April 25) on the other hand, is clearly aware of the discrepancies between the Japanese and British estimates.

The fact is that Japan's estimate of her invisible delicit with us is five times that estimated and published in British Business. The difference is simply explained and, from earlier correspondence, Mr Bouriet plainly

knows the reason.

While the Bank of Japan records the bilateral invisible transactions gross, Britain, and particularly the City of London, is acting as an entrepot centre, sometimes undertaking two separate gross transis on denait of Japanese cuents and taking a small commission or "turn" for its "middle-man" role.

This applies to Euro-currency transactions,... banking, shipping freights and commodities, as well as portfolio investment. If major central banks choose to calculate their bilateral figures on a gross basis, ignoring the true nature of the underlying transactions, these mis-understandings will continue.

Yours faithfully, W. M. CLARKE, Director-General, Committee on Invisible Exports, 7th Floor. The Stock Exchange, EC2.

### Thieves abroad

April 27.

From Mrs Nora Bradhury

Sir, I, too, was attacked and robbed in a crowded street in Palermo last week. The attack was two-pronged and well organised. Two youths on a and well organised. I way you as I was crossing a side street, the strap broke as I struggled and retained my hold.

This was the moment for my second assailant, a much older man (30-ish perhaps) to swoop in and take the now unattached bag while I was recovering from the shock of the

The police and a vigilante civile were called to the spot within minutes but they seemed confused and made no attempt to question witnesses or give chase. In fact they seemed quite untrained to deal with

the problem.

It is interesting to note that no mention of an older assaliant was made in the translation of my statement given to me by the police. I think Fagin is alive and well and living in Palermo. yours faithfully,

NORA BRADBURY, 24 Maryland Way, Sunbury on Thames, Middlesex April 22.

### CND and communism

From Dr Tony Weaver.

Sir, Your judgment (leading article, April 21) that CND is the dupe of the Soviet-backed World Peace Council fails to notice a most important extra-parliamentary development in the past 25 years, namely its commitment to nonviolent direct action, in addition to electioneering. . This was practised in the late

fifties by such men as Michael Scott and Bertrand Russell, who were certainly not communists, and has been endorsed officially by the CND conference. It has come about largely as a result of the mitiative of the rank and file, several of whom have been elected on to the national council.

The demonstrators at Greenham Common made an enormous impact and gained publicity because their actions have been non-violent. This includes a willingness to suffer on the long demonstrations, even in prison if necessary, and advance consultation on plans with the

Sir, Far from being "a constitutional nonsense", as you suggest (leading article, April 26) the nomination by the parties comprising the Alliance of a "Prime Minister-designate" is different matter.

quite essential in the interests both of the electorate and the Palace. Were the Alliance to find itself after a general election in a position in which it was asked to form a government, it is vital that the Queen be left in no doubt as to whom she ought to ask to lead it. She would not wish to become involved in squabbles between rival claimants or in party disputes. Yours faithfully,

The dangers of not having a straightforward method of discovering a "Prime Minister-designate" were well illustrated by the events following Mr Macmillan's resig-nation in 1963 when the controversies which arose might, in less happy circumstances, easily have encompassed the role of the Queen. Since then, of course, the Conservative Party has wisely adopted the method of electing its leader so that no such misunderstandings can

From Mr Vernon Bogdanor

Surely the electorate also is entitled to know who would be asked to lead an Alliance Government. In modern times, the Prime Minister is at least primus inter pares; and indeed the personality and attitudes of the Prime Minister will inevitably colour the whole approach of the Government. It would not be right to hide from the electorate a fact which is bound to be of very considerable importance when they come to cast their vote.

Incidentally, your statement that "The post of Prime Minister depends on an ability to command a majority in the House of Commons..." is not strictly correct in a situation in which no one party can command a majority. Neither Ramsay MacDonald, in January, 1924, or 1929, nor Harold Wilson, in March, 1974, were able to

### command a majority in the Commons. It appears that they were not asked whether they could command a majority, but whether they could form a government - a very

Perhaps these precedents will carry little weight in the future. But in a situation in which, whatever the result of the forthcoming general election, three political groupings are likely to be competing for power for the foreseeable future, surely it is time to consider the impact of a three (or four) party system upon our Constitution. Otherwise we may be faced with any number of (genuine) constitutional nonsenses. VERNON BOGDANOR. Senior Tutor, Brasenose College,

### April 26. Seats at the summit

From Mr Robert Hargreaves Sir. Another issue arises if the Prime Minister attends the Williamsburg summit meeting in the middle of a general election campaign (Ronald Butt, April 28). Would she not then put herself under a constitutional obligation to invite the two other potential prime ministers, Mr Foot

and Mr Jenkins, to participate? There is, of course, an important precedent: on the day Parliament was dissolved for the general election of 1945, Churchill invited Attlee to attend the Poisdam conference, which was to open, in similar circumstances, before the election result was known.

Attlee accepted and subsequently took over the negotiations with Truman and Stalin when the election results were declared. Yours faithfully, ROBERT HARGREAVES, 17 Kitson Road, Barnes, SW13. April 29.

### Union Star inquiry

From the General Secretary of the National Union of Seamen

Sir, You report (April 27) that Mr Michael Thomas, QC, counsel for the owners of the ill-fated Union Star, spoke of "mischievous tongues of busybodies" at the Penlee inquiry when referring to remarks made by this union and its sponsored MP. Mr John Prescott.

How strange that Mr Thomas should have made this statement on the penultimate day of the inquiry, when no time was left for the union to answer his slur.

Of course, the union had been aware for some time that Union Transport were understandably unhappy with our comments on the manning of the Union Star. So while in Penzance earlier this month to visit local coastal radio installations Mr Prescott publicly challenged Union Transport to call either of us Regrettably, this offer was not taken up. But I stand by my comments, made at the time of the tragedy and subsequently, that had the Union Star been a UK-registered vessel, her crew would have consisted of at least seven seafarers instead of the minimum of five required under Irish maritime egulations.
Whether the vessel's manning was

contributory factor to the disaster is for the inquiry to decide. However, it is hardly "mischievous" of us, or are we acting like "busybodies", in establishing this This disparity between UK and

Irish manning regulations also raises another issue of legitimate concern to the union: that British-based shipping companies might choose to register vessels in Ireland in order to avoid the UK's higher statutory minimum manning levels, which are determined by our Department of Trade in the interests of safety.

We have repeatedly warned the department that the presence in British waters of ships manned below UK standards poses a serious threat to the lives of other seafarers and those in the air-sea rescue services. The events of December 19, 1981, may have served, albeit tragically, to underline this point. Yours faithfully, JIM SLATER, General Secretary,

National Union of Seamen, Maritime House, Old Town, Clapham, SW4, April 28.

Sir, I doubt that Mr David Elstein's

alternative proposal for funding the

BBC (April 29) is quite the solution

he supposes.
His "simple mechanical device

lead and socket of a domestic

receiver" to unscramble BBC pro-

grammes could presumably be copied. As with videotapes, pirated

copies would soon be on sale under

the counter at much lower cost than would be possible from the legiti-

interposed between the aerial

Funding the BBC

From Mr Paul Saunders

### Greenfield sites

From Mr J. C. Baines

Sir, Surely the time has come to stop further building on greenfield sites. How can it make sense, with hundreds of millions of square feet of offices, factories and warehouses standing empty, to carry on building even more?

Here, in the West Midlands, where we have around 40 million square feet of ready-built spare capacity, the developers themselves are taking the roofs off recently completed factory units, to avoid paying rates, whilst at the same time they are eagerly accepting the Government's incentives to build

more units elsewhere. Buildings do not create jobs - they soak up precious industrial finance and all too often they destroy useful green and leafy landscape at the same time. Even when a building is let or sold, it is apparently now designed to have a functional life expectancy of no more than 20

If we must perpenate the myth that new buildings are needed (in order to create jobs?) then will the Government at least carry out its market-place manipulations in such a way that precious and irreplaceable green spaces are left untouched and the ugly sites of recent industrial dereliction are redeveloped instead? Yours faithfully CHRIS BAINES

9 Station Road, Hagley, Stourbridge,

### Eating guinea pigs

maic source

Yours faithfully.

PAUL SAUNDERS,

103 Ben Jonson House, Barbican, EC2,

From Miss Anna Furze Sir, It is not only the French who hold guinea pigs in high esteem as a culinary delicacy (letter, April 28). The villagers who live on Lake

Titicaca breed them for eating. Whilst in Peru last summer I sampled one and found that the dark-coloured flesh was delicious; apparently one can tell, from the number of toes on the paw, whether one's portion is from the front of the animal or the back. Yours faithfully,

ANNA FURZE The Old Rectory, Bradford Abbas. Sherborne, Dorsel

### police. Similar actions were taken at Burghfield and in Glasgow at Easter does not rely on weapons of genocide and which is not perceived

and are expected to be followed

elsewhere indefinitely.

As reported in The Times (feature, March 9) CND has been developing a network of training courses in non-violence and is about to augment them. Such methods. which entail a large measure of group autonomy and self-sufficiency, are spective of police control are anathema to Marxist authoritarians.

> Lenin, whom you quote as favouring "tricks and slyness", rather than openness, held that violent revolution is necessary (cf. he held, hindered what came to be called the bolshevik revolution.

State and Revolution) and wrote a pemphlet castigating the "sin of Tolstoyism" whose non-resistance, pacifist to act non-violently, Quakers and ecologists, here and in Germany, who form perhaps the

staunchest elements of CND, have

seen through the error of Lenin's

outlook and seek also to build an

alternative defence system which

to be threatening or offensive. The more the power of non-

violence is used by CND the less sympathy will the World Peace Council have for it. If you care for your liberties, you, Sir, might help to promote greater understanding in the West of a philosophy which is incompatible with the coercive tenets of totalitarianism. For the phenomenon of violence transcends questions of ideology, whether of the Soviet brand or emanating from the American President. Ferdinand Lassalle, in a translation quoted by Knestler, wrote: Point not the goal, until you plot the

course. For ends and means to man are inngled so Though one does not have to be a . That different means quite different aims enforce: Conceive the means as ends in

> Yours faithfully. TONY WEAVER, I St Barnabas Villas, SW8.

### Breath-test fear discounted

From Mr V. J. Emerson and Mr M. D. J. Isaacs

Sir, The largest and most comprehensive study on the influence of alcohol on traffic accidents was carried out at Grand Rapids in America and reported in 1964. In this study the alcohol in the motorists bodies was determined by analysis of breath samples, the results being converted mathematically into equivalent blood alcohol concentrations (BACs).

The results showed that with BACs in excess of 80mg/100ml there was a substantial increase in the likelihood of being involved in a traffic accident - a fact supported by Department of Transport statistics. It follows, therefore, that the alcohol levels in motorists' blood or breath samples are both reliable indicators of driving impairment.

Mr Borer, in his letter of April 28, states that the breath-testing instru-ments are, in principle, scientifically. unsound because breath samples are. taken through the mouth, which is the route taken by the alcohol consumed. He goes on to say that his experience has shown that 20 minutes is not a sufficiently long period for alcohol to disappear from he mouth after drinking.

We do not know how many tests Mr Borer conducted or under what conditions they were performed; bowever, his findings are completely at variance with those reported in the scientific literature and also our own. Alcohol remaining in the mouth after drinking will completely disappear in 10 to 15 minutes and hence the 20-minute waiting period which the police have been trained to enforce is more than adequate.

The two instruments which come into use on May 6 were evaluated in a field trial in which hundreds of motorists participated. Not one of them would have been prosecuted: on their breath sample result who would not have been on the blood; analysis.

Yours sincerely . J. EMERSON M. D. J. ISAACS, Forensie Science Service Headquarters, Home Office, Horseferry House, Dean Ryle Street, SW1. April 29.

### Railway architecture

Sir, My pleasure at reading (feature, April 25) of the salvation of Denmark Hill station was diminished considerably by the recent news of British Rail's intention to allow destructive developments at several of "London's historic railway stations" (Sir John Betjeman's. title). These include the demolition of part of the great train shed at Liverpool Street, called by Sir John steam's cathedral", and an offic development on the forecourt of

Charing Cross. Perhaps I should count myself fortunate that a recent visit to London allowed me to admire the excellence of the newly restored facade, before it is hidden forever behind yet another office block. With Broad Street, Victoria, Fenchurch Street, King's Cross and

Marylebone all also under threat the future of what are, after all, amongst Britains finest Victorian edifices, is bleak indeed. And every one, save Marylebone, is a listed building! Need I say more? Yours faithfully.

W. J. COTTERELL, 8 Hillgrove Crescent, Kidderminster, Worcester. April 25.

### Nor island bars a cage

From Commander David Bird, RN (retd)

Sir, Some time ago (February 23). you published a letter of mine concerning a recent case of murder in the island of St Helena. I ended my letter by saying that it would be interesting to see what happened this time. In the only previous case the man had to be paroled after a short time as the expense of keeping him in prison on the island was too great. The trial, you report (April 18), has now taken place; the man has been found guilty and sentenced to

life imprisonment. This has to be served in the UK as there is still no suitable prison in the island.

A friend of mine wrote to me from the Isle of Man after reading my previous letter to say that they have a similar problem. At the moment they have two men serving

life sentences in England and this is costing the island £20,000 a year each. As he says, they really cannot afford any more murders in the Isle of Man and I imagine that the: people of the island of St Helena must be praying that it will be at least another 78 years before they have another, otherwise the island will be bankrupt, Yours faithfully,

DAVID BIRD, The White House, Nyewood. Nr Petersfield, Hampshire.

Flight of fancy

From Mrs Virginia Osborne

Sir, The BBC's Unnatural History Unit was also at work in the recent excellent production. "Guests of the Nation", set in Ireland just after the First World War, which ended with the cerie, atmospheric hooting of an owl in the darkness. There are no tawny owls in the island of Ireland. Yours faithfully.

VIRGINIA OSBORNE, 15 St Mary's Gardens, Khyber Road, Chatham, Kent. April 23.

### **COURT** AND **SOCIAL**

### SOCIAL **NEWS**

Princess Margaret will visit the Suffolk Agricultural Association's show at the Suffolk Showground, Ipswich, on June 1. Princess Margaret. President of the

Cirt Guides Association, will attend the annual meeting to be held on the morning of June 6 at Common-wealth Headquarters and in the afternoon at Merchant Taylors'

Princess Margaret will visit the Haberdashers Aske's Boys' School at Elstree and open the new preparatory department on June 9. Princess Margaret will open the Oliver Messel exhibition in the Theatre Museum at the Victoria and Albert Museum on June 20. Princess Margaret, as Chancellor of

Princess Margaret, as Chancellor of Keele University, will preside at a congregation for the conferment of degrees at King's Hall, Stoke-on-Trent on June 28.

The Duchess of Kent, as Patron of The Royal British Legion Village, will open the Churchill Rehabilitation and Assessment Centre at the village in Maidstone, Kent, on May 14.

he Duchess of Kent will attend a half in aid of the City of London Dyslexia Charity at the Dorchester

A memorial service for Viscount Boyd of Merton, CH, will be held at noon today in Westminster Abbey.

**Forthcoming** 

Mr P. G. Bagnall and Miss P. M. Bradley

marriages

Mr J. G. Coltart

and Miss P. J. Rowland



The engagement is announced between Christopher, son of the Rev The engagement is announced between Paul, elder son of Mr and Mrs R. Bagnall, of Thurgoods,

Nich Hadham, Hertfordshire, and Pippa, younger daughter of Mr Richard Bradley, of Boston, Massa-chusetts, and Mrs Meryll Bradley, of 7n Pavilion Road, SWI. The engagement is announced between John, eldest son of Squadron Leader G. Coltart, RAF reads, and Mrs G. Coltart, of Gambarn. Suffolk, and Petrina Ziz), daughter of Lieutenant-blond and Mrs P. J. Rowland of HQ Berlin (British Sector).

The engagement is announced between Simon, only son of Major and Mrs Spencer Crookenden, of Staveley, Cumbria, and Sarah, only

### Birthdays today

Vir S. R. Crookenden and Miss S. A. G. M. Pragnell

Mr Henry Cooper. 49: Mr Terence Puffs. 61; the Earl of Dundee. 81: Sir Russell Fairgrieve. MP, 39: Sir William Glock, 75: Sir William Gray, 55: Or David Harrison. 53: Najor-General Sir Ralph Hone. 87: Dr Kenneth Hooper, 91; Mr Randle Manwaring, 71: Mr Peter Oosterhuis, 34; Professor Anne Robertson, 73: Miss Brooke Sanders, 35: Miss Kathy Smallwood. 23: Miss Dodie Smith, 87: Mr Norman Thelwell, 60: Mr Allan Wells, 31.

### Order of the Bath

The Dean and Chapter of Westprivate view of the abbey and the Bath Chapel followed by a conversazione in College Garden from 6.30-8.30 pm on Thursday,

obtainable from the Receiver tieneral, 20 Dean's Yard, London SWIP 3PA. Please print your name, title, decorations and address in black capital letters, state how many lickets are required and enclose stamped, addressed envelope.

### Stanbridge Earls School

Moxon, at present Housemaster of the Senior Boarding House at Highgate School, to succeed Mr R. J. (Dick) Gould who retires in

### Supper

HM Government Mr Alex Fletcher, Minister for on the occasion of the visit to Scotland by the Andrew Corporation.

Mr J. E. L. Porter and Dr A. Cremona-Barbaro The engagement is announced between John, son of the late Mr E.

S. Porter and Mrs J. Richards, wife of Judge Bertrand Richards, of Woodbridge, Suffolk, and Anne, daughter of Judge J. J. Cremona and the Marchioness of St George of

### Mr J. G. Tyser and Miss C. Finleson

of the Bath extend a warm invitation to all members of the order and their families to meet them and the other cleav and lay officers of Westminster Abbey for a

Admission is by ticket only,

The governors of Stanbridge Earls School have appointed Mr Howard

Industry and Education, Scottish Office, presided at a buffet supper held in Edinburgh Castle yesterday

Latest appointments Latest appointments include: Mr P. T. S. Batterbury to be a Circuit Judge on the South Eastern

Give to those who gave - please

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**BRITISH LIMBLESS** 

EX-SERVICE MEN'S ASSOCIATION

### **Bader flying** scholarships

Six flying acholarships for young physically disabled people have been endowed by the Royal Air Force Benevolent Fund to com-

and 30 and training will take place at Cambridge airport, Entrants have to write 1,000 words on why they

June 1, are available from branches of the Nationwide Building Society or the International Air Tattoo. Building 91. RAF Greenham Common. Newbury, Berkshire, RG15 8HL.

Latest estates include (net before tax

Beard, Mr George Kenneth, 

Camberley ... £306.455.

Lee. Judge Arthur Michael, of Easton, Winchester ... £160.095.

Marsh, Mr Michael Waller, of Burton Lazars, Leicester, late solicitor ... £760,312.

The marriage took place in London Susan Purnell, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs D. G. Purnell, of Oxshott,

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between Jonathan, son of Mr Alan
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and Clare, daughter of Mrs Finlason
and the late Mr Colin Finlason, of
Harare, Zimbabwe,

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said: "We felt that the inauguration of these flying scholarships would be comething Sir Douglas would have very much approved of himself."

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Till, Mr Robert Sidney, of Kingswear, Devon 5235,924
Young, Mr Henry Bowie, of Wolverhampton, West Midlands, consulting surgeon 5393,218

Friston. East Sussex, barris-ter...£263,397. Langlands, Mr Cecil Walter. of

### Marriage

Dr B. A. Lang and Miss C. S. Purnell

on Saturday, April 30th, 1983. between Dr Brian Lang and Miss Surrey.

Granes

### Conservation farmer denies money-for-nothing charge By John Young, Agriculture Correspondent

Isle of Sheppey, Kent, as a

Mr Philip Merricks said that adjoins a sanctuary owned by he had been depicted by Lord Melchett, president of the Ramblers' Association, and by the newly formed Socialist gaining one of the largest Countryside Group as one of a handful of lucky farmers who would be paid thousands of was described on a recent BBC pounds of taxnavers' money for pounds of taxpayers' money for

the agreement under nego-tiation with the Nature Con-the RSPB, the Council for the

A farmer has complained of servancy Council was an out- Protection of Rural England being misrepresented over a standing example of how the and the Kent Trust for Nature pending agreement to designate Wildlife and Countryside Act Conservation.

2,000 acres of his land on the was intended to work.

Far from sitting back and

As a result of his agreeing not to plough the land, which

farming programme, claimed to have received messages of doing nothing have received messages of The truth was, he said, that support from a number of

Bristol

The following are to receive honorary degrees in July:

LLD: Mr John James, educational philanthropist; Mr David Puttnam, film producer; Mr Yusuf Babikr Bedri, Sudanese educationalist; Professor Lawrence Cecil Bartiett Gower, former Vice-Chancellor of Southampton. University, Lord Wilberforce. Lord of Appeal in Ordinary; Professor Kenneth Onwala Kike, professor of African history at Harvard University.

Di htt Professor Sir Cyril Philins.

DLitt: Professor Sir Cyril Philips, lately professor of driental history,

MA: Mr Graham Frankcom, former

The Duke and Duchess of Wellington will attend an inauguration ceremony and exhibition at the university on May 14 to mark its

Duke of Wellington.

The papers are the property of the nation and the university library has been chosen to act as their

Cristing Cont. and Steel Community: \$71,000 to institute for Communer Ergonomics for a study of rehabilitation and restrictions of community disabled.

on May 18 on the following: Other Dr Redways Opin, and economist.

Disputed elm burnt

The ancient elm tree in the Anne West-Oram, a villager

Mic Edward R Major, former cited of support

superintendent, department anatomy, Bristol.

London University.

Far from sitting back and doing nothing, he would be responsible for helping to manage one of the most important marshland reserves

received in compensation would probably be used for paying staff and providing facilities for visitors. Mr Merricks said that his relations with responsible environmental groups were excel-

### University news

Visitors to St Paul's Cathedral, London, yesterday were given the rare opportunity to see Wren's beffry containing the heaviest change-ringing peal in the world to be hung in a wooden frame. The heaviest of the 12 bells, which were cast by Taylors of Loughborough, weighs three tons. The ringing chamber and belfry were open as part of National Open Bell Towers Week. (Photograph: Brian Harris).

New Master of Selwyn

Professor Alan H. Cook, FRS, fellow of King's College, Cambridge, and Jacksonian professor of natural philsophy at Cambridge, has been elected to succeed the Rev Professor Owen Chadwick, as Master of Seiwyn College from October I.

The college was established as a Church of England foundation 100 years ago, and Professor Cook is the first layman to be elected to the mastership.

Dr V. H. H. Green has been elected Rector of Lincoln College in succession to Lord Trend, who retires on September 30. Dr Green

is the college archivist. Or Anthony K Hedley has been appointed to the Henry Mechan chair of public health, in the department of community medicine from October 1, 1984. He will take up appointment as professor-designate on September 1 1983. Dr Hedley is at present senior lecturer in community Health University of Nottingham,

Dr I E Barnes, Ph.D, has been appointed to the chair of operative dentistry from October 1.
Dr P M Braiden has been appointed to the Sir James Woodeson chair of production engineering from August

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17 to replace the tree, but two

yesterday.

### **Britain beats** US in bridge final

By a Bridge Correspondent

The British team put up a magnificent performance in the final of the Continental Life Cup in Leeds on Sunday by beating the United States, whose team included three world champions.

They led by 45 points at half-time, by 51 points at the three quarter stage and, hung on to win by 133-109.

The British team of C. Duck-

Armstrong for the European championship in Wiesbaden in July. Their morale must now be high.

In the play-off for third place,

DSc: Professor M. C. Longuet-Hig-gins, Royal Society research pro-fessor, Sussex University; Sir Henry Chilver, Vice-Chancellor of Cran-field Institute of Technology. France, the Olympic champions, had an easy win over an EBU team of former thritish internationals.

US team: W. Eisenberg, E. Kanter, J. Frolodar, and D. Berkowicz.

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The Gartmore ten day festival of bridge ended in Jersey on Sunday with the Swiss teams championship, which was won by John Davies's Surrey team. I. N. L. J. Davies, R. H. McRobert, A. S. Mitchell, F. C. Herd; 2, J. D. Baker, F. Hotchen; S. Pueston D. I. Wheeler. Preston, D. J. Wheeler.

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village square at Ramsbury, who favours keeping the tree Wiltshire, which is at the centre said vesterday that Ramsbury of a dispute about its preser- was still divided over the issue. "I think that whoever was responsible today intended that the tree should be blackened the hollow trunk. A publican and charred so badly that it would have to be pulled down. "I cannot think who would be dying of Dutch elm disease. be sally enough to do this, but

there is still very strong feeling in the village over the issue. "People brought up together parish council officials resigned 50 or 60 years ago are crossing in a dispute over the way the the road rather than speak to

each other", she said. The clm was later reprieved The police are investigating by the local authority. But Mrs the cause of the fire.

The British team of C. Duck-worth, D. G. W. Price, A. H. Duncan and B. D. Short will be joined by G. T. Kirby and J. M.

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Professor Tom M. Harris, post until his retirement in the study of plant compression FRS, who was Professor of 1968. During that period he fossils from the level of armsBotany at the University of developed a flourishing school length contemplation to that of Reading from 1935 to 1968, of palaeobotany which brought an exact and meticulous microdied in Reading on May 1 at the many students to Reading from scopic study.

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inesozoic floras of Greenland and of Yorkshire. Indeed he was rated by many as the world's leading palaeobotanist.

Tom Harris was born in Leicester the son of an engineer. He went to school in Wyggeston in Leicester and Botham, York. He took the external BSc of London University at University College, Nottingham, intending it to be a prelude to a career in Medicine.

From Nottingham he won a scholarship to Christ's College, Cambridge, and there gained first class honours in both parts of the natural science Tripos. By the end of his first year he had decided to specialize in botany. Harris was to clare and content of the natural science Tripos. By the end of his first year he had decided to specialize in botany. Harris was to clare and the natural science Tripos. By the remained at Cambridge to Tripos By the rock matrix. Harris was content of the natural science Tripos. By the remained at Cambridge to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was college to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was college to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was college to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was college to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was college to a care of the rock matrix. Harris was graduates will remember Harris care of the rock matrix. Harris was graduates will remember Harris care of the rock matrix. Harris was graduates will remember Harris care will remember Harris.

graduates will remember Harris not only for his unique style of leadership as head of the department but for the field classes that he took to Cader Idris, in Snowdonia. Sleeping on a palliasse filled with bracken, washing in a mountain stream and cooking over a wood fire were all part of the

educational experience. Harris was elected to the Royal Society in 1948, was a member of its council from 1959-61, was vice-president 1960-61 and served as president the Linnean Society from

He leaves a widow, three daughters and a son.

### PROFESSOR W. H. J. CHILDS

PROFESSOR TOM HARRIS

Leading authority on fossil botany

Professor W. H. J. Childs, Professor and Head of the Department of Physics at Heriot-Watt College and Uni-versity, Edinburgh, for 23 years until his retirement in 1969, died at his home at Lundin Links, Fife, on April 26. He was

**OBITUARY** 

"Charles" Childs graduated at King's College London in 1924, and gained his PhD of London University in 1928 for his research on molecular spectroscopy. After further research at Bonn and Heidelberg Universities and at the Davy-Faraday Laboratory of the Royal Institution, he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Science in 1938 for his pub-lished work in the field of spectroscopy.

After a period of research at the University of Michigan, he was seconded in 1940 to the Armaments Research Depart- optics:

Service straight from school,

and in April 1918 was com-

missioned in the newly consti-tuted RAF. During the closing

months of the war he destroyed five enemy aircraft, being twice

shot down and wounded, and being awarded the DFC.

After qualifying as a doctor,

ment of the Ministry of Supply. There he was particularly concerned with the development and use of high speed cameras and devices, both electronic and optical, for the registration of measurement of very short time intervals. A new type of electrical fuse, for defusing magnetic mines in-vented and developed by Childs, had at least 30-fold superiority in performance and

reliability over similar Allied or enemy products.

Childs was serving with Sir William Penney as Principal Scientific Officer when he was appointed Professor of Physics at Heriot-Watt College in August 1947. He greatly ex-panded his department, introducing a new degree course in Applied Physics well suited to meet the needs of industry, and developing research interests particularly in various fields of

the internationally used Pigsical Constants. He was the first Dean of the Faculty of Science when the college became Heriot-Watt University in 1966 and was made professor emeritus on his retirement in 1969. He was a Fellow of the institute of Physics (and a former President of its Scottish Branch), of the Physical Society and of the Royal Society of Edinburgh.

His published work included

As a member of the Advisory Committee on Physics to the Secretary of State for Scotland, and particularly as convener of the Scotlish Schools Science Equipment Research Centre, he contributed to important improvements in the teaching of physics and in the provision of equipment in Scottish schools.

He is survived by his wife, Helen S. Gilchrist, a son and a

### DR ROBERT GORDON

Dr Robert McIntyre Gordon. Ormoud Street Hospital for Calabria and then from D-Day DSO, DFC, GM, TD, has died Sick Children. In 1927 he went until the end of the war in to Essex, as the doctor in Silver Northern Europe, he command-Educated at Glasgow High School and at Glasgow Universup Scratch by the Critical Manufacture of field ambulances and hospital from the Critical Manufacture of field ambulances and hospital for Calabria and then from D-Day until the end of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of field ambulances and hospital for Calabria and then from D-Day until the end of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the critical Manufacture of the war in Northern Europe, he commands the turing Company as a pioneer energy. He was awarded the garden village. There, his DSO and GM for his service in natural friendliness and ensity, he qualified as a doctor in 1924, after war service. He had joined the Royal Naval Air thusiasm played a tremendous risking his life respect in welding together the new from a burnin community, which had few Tunisia in 1943.

After the war, 1

was MO to the 5th Battalion, Essex Regiment: Soon after the he worked in London at the the 51st Highland Division. Seamen's Hospital, the Evelina throughout the campaigns in Hospital, and the Great North Africa, Sicily and

North Africa, the latter for risking his life rescuing two men from a burning vehicle in

In 1927 Gordon joined the RAMC and the Territorials, and medical officer at Braintree, until his retirement in 1960. He retained his interest in the outbreak of war in 1939 he Army by helping to organize the joined the regular Army. With re-formation of the Home the 51st Highland Division Guard locally, and by his long throughout the campaigns in association with the Royal

### MR ALFRED E. PERLMAN

Perlman who began his career cleaning railroad cars at the age of 16, had to his credit the reorganization of the Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad which, as executive vice president he was instru-

mental in transforming from a white elephant into a profitable company.

Mr Alfred E. Perlman, who ation with the New York died in San Francisco on April Central, then the USA's second 30 at the age of 80 had been a largest railroad. But, though he died in San Francisco on April Central, then the USA's second 30 at the age of 80 had been a leading management figure in American railways in a career which had seen him president of some of the USA's most celebrated railroad names at times of ailing fortunes.

Perlman who began his career

Central, then the USA's second largest railroad. But, though he was initially successful in improving its trading position, the company sufficient severely during the 1957-58 recession, and in spite of cuts in duplicated services, eventually merged in 1968 with the larger and competing Perpasylvania. and competing Pennsylvania Railroad. From 1968 he was president of the Penn Central Transportation Co, then the country's largest railroad, until it went bankrupt two years later. Thereafter he headed the Western Pacific Railroad which

he guided to profitability within

### a few months of taking the helm. From 1954 began his associ-

MR ROLAND ADAMS, OC

1949 after war service with the those Sessions in the Shire Hall Essex Regiment. at Chelmsford. Although a well known figure
Although a well known figure
Added to these public services he still found time to sit as better known in Essex. He a Lloyds Arbitrator. So one served for nearly a decade on might wonder how he could the County Council and on the record in Who's Who his Rivers Catchment Board, and recreation as "staying at home"

Hall at Great Leighs. services (for a long time given should never be forgotten.

Mr George Viner, who died in Bristol on April 20 at the age er, who died on April 12 at the

Roland Adams who recently died at the age of 82 was a man whose dedication to the County of Essex fin which the county of Esse of Essex (in which he lived all those Sessions ran from Bow his life) almost overshadows his successful career in the Law and for 21 years prior to 1971 (with the implementation of the the Bar of the Inner Temple in Crown Court Act) Roland 1925 he practised mainly at the Adams sat almost daily as deputy and later Chairman of the Court Act and later Chairman of the Chairman

farmed on a substantial scale at Probably the answer is that his beautiful home Gubbions home to him was Essex and the lall at Great Leighs.

But above all it was for his unsparingly to that County

### MR RICHARD

British Legion.

McDOUGALL Mr Richard McDougall, -CBE, FCA, who died on April 27 at the age of 78 was general manager of Stevenage Development Corporation from 1957 to 1967, having previously had a

career in local government

McDougail was norm on way 28, 1904, and educated at Haileybury College. From there he qualified as a chartered he considered as a chartered McDougall was born on May accountant and joined Hert-fordshire County Council County where he was Treasurer from 1939 to 1957. From 1950 he was on the Colonial Secretary's Advisory Committee on Local Government and during this period the county council parted with him on government service to three countries -Sierra Leone, Nyasaland and the Fiji Islands - as an adviser

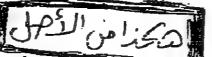
on local government.

When he took over the general management of Stevenage from Major-General A. C. Duff in 1957 he knew nothing about the special problems of planning a new community but he soon came to understand the ethos of the town and was able to guide it through its most difficult years. He was also active in voluntary work and

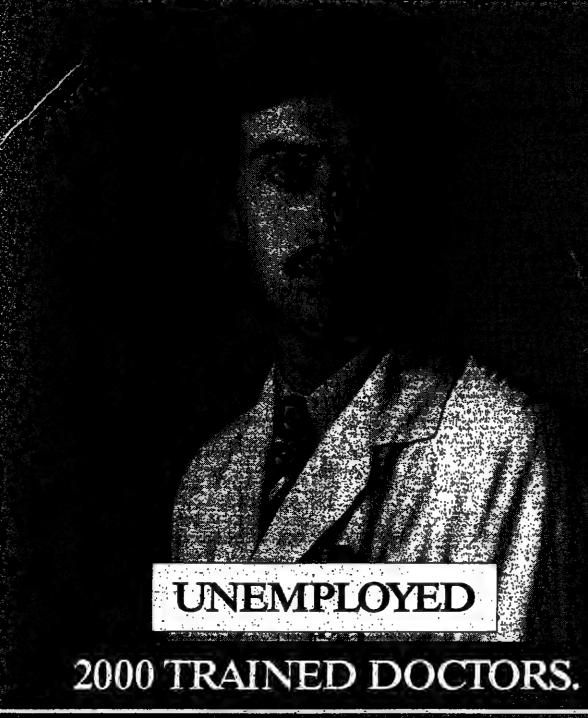
had been treasurer of the National Youth Orchestra After his retirement he was a member of the North West Metropolitan Hospital Board from 1963 to 1968 and was Chairman of the Building Research Station Steering Research Station Steering Committee from 1967 to 1970. He further visited Kenya for the British Government in 1967. He was appointed CBE in 1957. His wife, Margaret, whom he married in 1929, died in 1976.

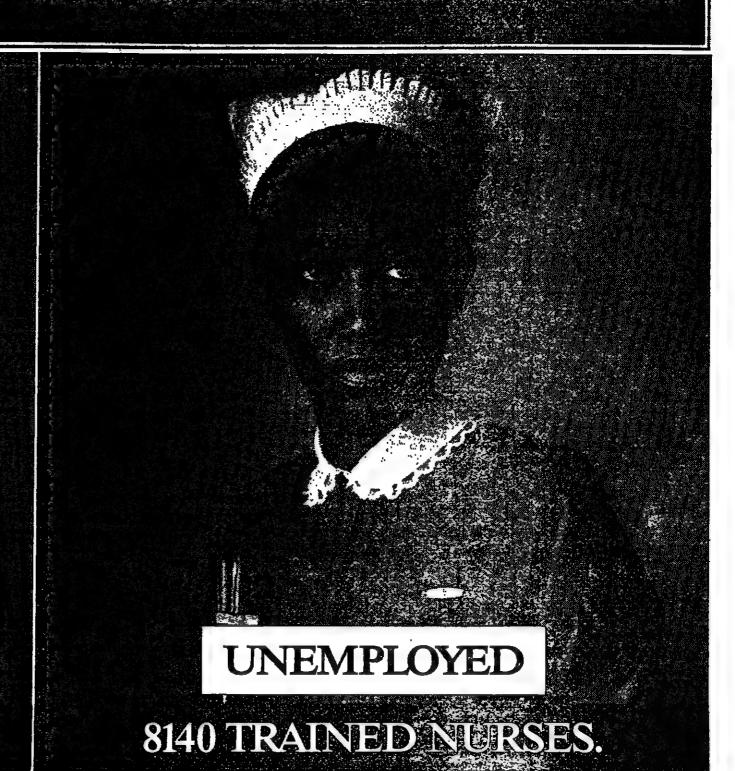
Mr William Edgar Doole, of 70, was joint author of the textbook The Practice of Journalism, and had also been chairman of the National Council for the Training of Riding of Yorkshire and York in 1959 and of North Yorkshire London.

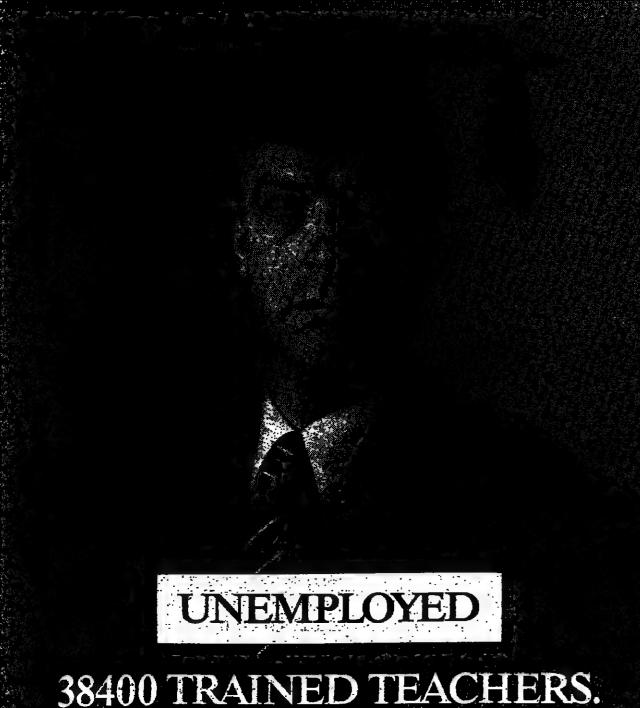
Mr William Edgar Doole, who died in Augusta, Georgia, on April 9 at the age of 69, was chairman and managing director of Brooks and Walker Ltd. and a Freeman of the City of London.

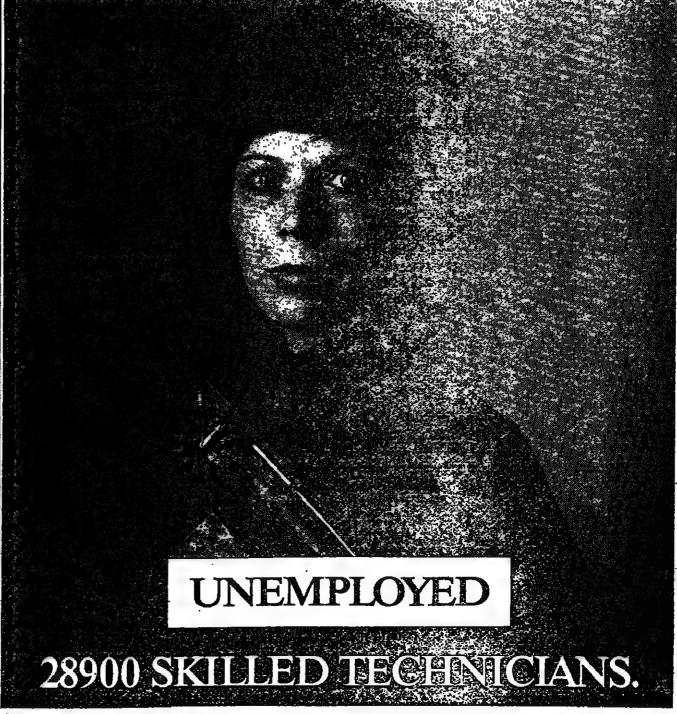


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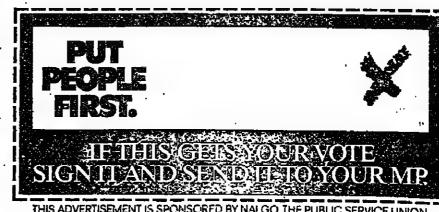
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### No fireworks from Marks & Sparks

In a bank holiday week that lacks the excitement of ICT's retailing, M & S has proved a figures the stock market is likely to be less the focus of attention than was the case last week. If looking for recovery stock in the FT index does finally close which are still underrated, and the case last week in the FT index does finally close which are still underrated, and the focus of attention to be less than the focus of attention to be less the focus of attenti the FT Index does finally close which are still underrated, and above the 700 level it will be due more to general market have the same sort of potential are P & O tomorrow and Save company news expected.

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That is not to say that it will be a quiet week, but the most significant company reporting Marks & Spencer, whose final results for the year to end-March are due tomorrow, is not

The distinction is important, since 1976. Even if M & S can forecast a 15 Admittedly, recovery was that it is achievable for the year the CBI cautioned, but orders. Friday with the provisional Sterling's firm performance general will need some nudging as a whole but is probably not output and export prospects all April figures. Analysts expect a last week began to reawaken to move upwards. For that

**ECONOMIC VIEW** 

### Confidence in recovery grows

works. Analysts are going for figures of between £235m and £240m for the year compared with £221m the previous year.

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Confederation of Brush Industries provided further evidence of the improvement in the remarks are likely to be less than bullish from the market's point of view.

In the United States, the 1.5 per cent rise in leading economic indicators after a 1.4 per omic indicators after a 1.4 per omic Cooperation and Development which starts next the sumple question of whether one should buy or sell shares. The answer, of course, is more difficult – and not guaranteed.

Since ICI failed to push the

confidence at its highest point. United States economy is on the move.

per cent improvement for the from a very low base and the having on the unemployment commercial production on tations, it is reasonable to current year - and the view is improvement would be patchy. tally in Britain will emerge on Thursday. that it is achievable for the year the CBI cautioned, but orders. Friday with the provisional

March are due tomorrow, is not expected to produce any fire-United Kingdom and world on by the Government as week's meetings in Washington

as a whole but is probably not being met at the market – it is gave grounds for believing that unlikely to boost the share price. Even on £240m for 1982/83, M & S would stand on a fully taxed p/e of around 25, and that sort of rating is asking quite a lot of the future anyway.

April figures. Analysts expect a further increase in unemployment although there are signs that the rate of increase is unemployment although there are signs that the rate of increase in unemployment although there are signs that the rate of increase in unemployment although there are signs that the rate of increase in unemployment although there are signs the usual uncertainties in the United States and likelihood of the market is near its short-term United States and likelihood of the future anyway.

Otherwise, this week began to reawaken to move upwards. For that domestic interest rates although the usual uncertainties in the United States and likelihood of quiet one for economic indicators, Atlention is likely to that such hopes are premature.

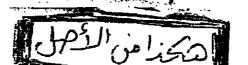
From a market point of view, 5 & P is probably the most interesting – but only if it gives an indication of how the bull market has affected results since its year end. Unit trust sales have recently hit new highs. On the other hand, S & P has other things in its favour than that or so the market thinks.

The main problem remains how the market investors and commentators see the answer to

Monday.

April official reserves figures
will be published tomorrow and last week on profits that were How much impact all this is final March figures for car and ahead of every one's expecassume that share prices in

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THE TIMES TUESDAY MAY 3 1983

### **City Editor** Anthony Hilton

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### STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 695.3 FT Gilts: 81.55 FT All Share: 441.08 Eargains: 25,458 Tring Hall USM Index: 172.1 (Friday's close) Tekyo: Nikkei Dow Jones 8704.39 Seng Naw York: Dow Jones Aver-

age (latest) 1210.43 down

### **CURRENCIES**

Sterling \$1.5605 Index 84.2 FrF 11.54 Yen 371.25 Collar Index 122.6 \$429 down \$2.50 (Friday's

close) **MEW YORK LATEST** Gold \$428.50 Sterling \$1.5735

### INTEREST RATES

Base rates 10 3 month interbank 105/15-103/16 Euro-currency rates: 3 month dollar 8<sup>13</sup>/<sub>18</sub>-8<sup>15</sup>/<sub>18</sub> 2 month DM 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>16</sub>-4<sup>15</sup>/<sub>18</sub> 3 month 13-12<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>

ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period March 2 to April 5. 1983 inclusive: 10.974 per

### **BOARD MEETINGS** TCDAY, Interims: Aberdeen Trust

TCDAY, Interime: Aberdeen Trust and C. H. Peards & Sons. Finals: Associated Leisure. Bonusbond holdings. Foseco Minsep, Interiorational French, Kier Holdings, Jenks and Cattell, Midland Marts Group. Roberts. Adiard, Tootal Group and Ward Whits Group. Tootal Group and Ward Whits Group. Towork Row. Interimes: Tiger Oats and National Milling, and Wemyss Investment Trust. Finals: Electra investment Trust. Finals: Electra investment Trust. Fokes (John) Hefo, Gerrard & National, Milletts Leisure, John Mowlem, Nurdin and Leisure, John Mowlem, Nurdin and Sgree.

Seacock, Oceana Development

Forbes is offering a refund of

St Aubyn, J. O. Walker and Warnford Investments.
THURSDAY, Interims: Anglo Scot:sh Investment Trust, Barton Transport, North Midland Construction, Royal Bank of Scotland, and Sungal Bank of Scotland, and Sungel Bahru Rubber Estates Finals: European Ferries, Norman Hay and Sound Diffusion. FRIDAY: Interims: Transvasi Con-

FRIDAY: Interims: Transvala Con-solidated Land and Exploration. Finals: Ayrshire Metal Products, Copydex, Fleming Far Eastern Investment Trust, Save and Prosper Linked Investment Trust, 2nd Interim), and Stewarts Enterp-

### Gatt sees trade 'deterioration'

national commerce shrunk, the that run assembly lines. It is General Agreement on Tariffs ambarrassing for Fortune that and Trade (Gatt) revealed its list of companies does not vesterday.

trade practices continued at leaders. high levels for a third year running. Gatt says in a report, and member states were unable to settle long-running disputes managing editor. This has gone over protecting their industries on for years now, he says in an from foreign competition.

ous" discussions before and few years, become used to this during the meeting of Gatt trade kind of sniping.

ways has agreed to buy two edition for 1982.

4300-600 aircraft from Airbus
Industrie for \$89m The Property of national last September cancelled its order for the aircraft after being told by Airbus of a

de av in delivery.

NARKET QUOTE: International Income Property, a United States-based property group, headed by Mr Gerard Dusseldorp, founder of Lend Lease, Australia's biggest property group, is to be quoted on the London stock market. Brokers Cazenove plan to place about 2 million shares at 600p

to raise £12m. "INSOLVENT" () BANK The US Comptroller of the to settle anti-trust charges.

### **Brokers'** warning dampens Wall St

heavy early trading as a major

The Dow Jones industrial average was off 15.77 points to 1,210.43 and losing issues outpaced gains nearly two to one. Volume was a brisk 29

a cautious report yesterday morning warning of a possible 10 per cent to 15 per cent correction in stock prices.

bad indicating it was mostly a Dow stock reaction.'

Stanley's recommendations would "help clear out the debris" and that the declines would be a short-lived reaction. International Business Ma-

International Business Machines was down 1½ to 115½. Procter and Gamble was off ½ at 67½, General Motorswas off ½ at 67½, General Electric was down 1½ to 110½, American Telephone and Telegraph was off ½ at 67½ and Eastman Kodak was off ½ at 84½.

American Cyanamid was 4414 down 1½, Exxon, at 35½ was up ½, Sears Roebuck, at 40½ was down 1½, Texas Instruments, at 142½ was off 5, Merck at 92½ was down 1½ and American Express, at 66, was off 1½.

### **Magazines** in battle over surveys

months compiling their annual "500" surveys of America's largest companies. Now, as each publication sets about the task of trying to persuade business readers that its list is the best, the sparks are flying.

customers.

nation, based on sales.

Forbes, which started its own roster in 1969, takes issue with the industrial qualification: its compilation, arranged by assets, profits, and market value, as

issue than Fortune does in two.

According to the James W. Michaela, editor of Forbes, the Relations among the world's Michaels, editor of Forbes, the trading nations deteriorated Fortune assumes the only markedly in 1982 as inter-companies that count are those

interview. Having pioneered the

ministers in Geneva last. At least in part, Forbes is November, the first such concerned with selling more gathering in nine years, the magazines: last year, circulation of the Forber 500 issue totalled O AIRCRAFT DEAL State 714,694, only 1,000 more than

intervention would prevent an

The Fortune 500, now in its 29th year, lists only the largest industrial companies in the

Complaints against unfair America, and many other

These strains showed in the whole idea of ranking corpor-intensive, prolonged and ardu-

Wall Stret brokerage house issued a warning to its clients.

million shares in the first hour, A Morgan Stanley spokesman said its technical analyst issued

However, Mr Lew Smith, market analyst for Bear Stearns, said: "We had been expecting a backing off as the market reached near the 1,235 level. But even with this drop the breadth figures don't look too

Other analysts said Morgan

New York (NYT) - Fortune and Forbes, the rival US business bi-weeklies, have spent

well as sales, includes all companies. It does more in one

This June, in an apparent concession to the importance of the economy's service sector, Fortune will offer a Service-500 really just an expansion of its previous service rankings.

include AT&T, Bank of

Mr Michaels' observation came as little surprise to Mr William S. Rukeyser, Fortune's

of the Forbes 500 issue totalled

policy between the United States and France is threatening to disrupt this month's Williamsburg summit, despite short-lived hopes that last week's agreement by the sum-

> international row. Fears of a new reflationary boost by the French Government have coincided with immediate public bickering between the Europeans and Americans over exactly what had been decided in Friday's face-saving agreement on cur-

> rency intervention.
>
> The Mitterand government, under intense political pressure at home because of an unpopular austerity programme, has let

Britain has again told key Arab members of the Organiza-

tion of Petroleum Exporting

Countries that North Sea oil

production will not be cut back

to help maintain the new found

stability in the world oil market.

Energy Secretary, repeated at the start of his five-day tour of

the Gulf that Britain is keen to

avoid undermining the fragile Opec pricing agreement reached

after a marathon meeting in

Mr Lawson's first date on his

Gulf tour was with the Emir of Kuwait, Shaikh Jaber al-Ahmed Al-Sabah, and Kuwait's oil minister, Shaikh Ali Khalifa al-Sabah. The friendly talks

reportedly centred on ways of

maintaining price stability in the uncertain oil market.

Although the Government

has repeatedly dismissed any question of Britain doing any deals with Opec, let alone joining the oil exporters' organi-

zation, the Arab states are known to be conscious of the help that Mr Lawson provided

in allowing Opec time to reach agreement on its reduced

Mr Lawson is scheduled to

mism that the Opec agreement min.

Plea for

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rate cut

By Our Industrial Correspondent

Industry and commerce call

today for a new programme of

reform of local authority rates

and finances in a renewed attempt to reduce what are regarded as companies' crip-

In a paper aimed at MPs and

published to coincide with local council elections, the Associ-ation of British Chamber of

Commerce says that the areas of

country with the highest busi-

ness rates are also among those with the biggest unemployment.

"Companies hit by rate increases in the middle of the

worst recession for 50 years and therefore usually unable to increase their prices, face two

altenatives. One is to cut back

on capital investment and

marketing, and the other is to

make redundancies and slash

in a company's rate bill can equal one job lost."

areas with the largest business rates as Sheffield and Newcastle

upon Tyne (each over 270p in the £), and Manchester (250p)

trends towards low rate increas-

es, the association says this

must be seen against the

background of four or five years

March profits first for 20 months

Air Florida auditors gloomy

of excessive rate increases.

While applauding the recent

"Thus, each £7,000 increase

The association identifies the

pling rates bills.

recruiting.

marker price of \$29 a barrel.

London in March.

But Mr Nigel Lawson, the

Lawson allays fears

on Opec price pact

A new clash over economic governments know that it may olicy between the United have to change dramatically its tates and France is threatening policy to one of reflation in the

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weeks ahead. West German sources said that it was not clear how long the French could wait before mit countries on exchange rate adopting the stimulative policies that run counter to the inflation-fighting measures adopted by most other western governments.

The timing of the change will most likely be determined by the strength and force of political protests in Paris, and could take place even before the Williamsburg summit when heads of state meet again to discuss how to coordinate their economic policies to ensure world recovery.

The first pre-Williamsburg

Lawson: no promise on cutbacks

will hold throughout the rest of

According to the Middle East

Economic Survey, both Iran and

Libya are adhering to official prices in selling their crude oil. The two countries were instru-

mental in undermining last

year's Opec agreement by consistently selling oil at a discount and by producing

Saudi Arabia, which has

agreed to act as the swing

producer inside Opec, adjusting

its output to variations in demand, is still producing less

Turnround

of £600m

for BA

By Our Commercial Editor

Sir John King, the chairman of British Airways, will report a big change in the fortunes of the airline when its financial results

for last year are announced, but

there are still doubts about the

timing of the Government's intended sale of the corpor-

Sir John is expected to report an upturn from £540m loss the

previous year to a base line profit of £60m in 1982-83.

Although the airline's losses in 1981-82 included £426m of

extraordinary items it is still a

big achievement.
The airline's overmanning

problems have been attacked; 24,000 jobs having gone to reduce the workforce to 37,000.

Another 2,000 are still to go.

The cuts, with rationalization

of a number of routes, had led

to expectations of profits rising

to £100m this year. But even with air traffic growth improv-

ing overall this prospect could

One problem for British Airways is the emergence of

another cut-price threat on the

north Atlantic routes. People

Express, the New York-based

worker-cooperative airline, is proposing a £99 transatlantic fare. British Airways is also

among airlines threatened by lawsuits arising out of the Laker

now be in danger.

more than their quotas.

have further meetings with the demand, is still producing less oil ministers of both Saudi than four million barrels a day, Arabia and the United Arab according to the governor of the Emirates, amid increasing optiSaudi State oil company Petro-

Paris may make dramatic policy change

French-US clash and reflation

fears pose threat to summit



Delors: "Burned again" by Regan's remarks shots in the growing dispute were fired in Washington over the weekend when Mr Jacques Delors, the French Finance

**Recovery** is

'already

under way'

German economists.

countries.

not only the consequence of persistent econonic weaknesses.

markedly slowed inflation.

growth last year.

Minister, accused the Reagan

M Delors said at a news US position. conference that he felt "burned again" by the remarks of Mr Donald Regan, the US Treasury Secretary. Mr Regan had said that the new accord on intervention in currency markets signed by the seven summit countries did not signal a change in US policy.

Administration of once again Delors and Mr Regan on the backing off from a newly-signed new intervention accord has international accord.

After the signing both British and West German officials said that it represented a significant concession on the part of the US, which agreed to language that endorsed limited, coordinated intervention among countries to stabilize erratic currencies. M Delors compared the

French officials have accused incident to the dipute which the Reagan Administration of intensifying their domestic erupted after Versailles econ-omic summit last year when economic problems by refusing to check the flight of the dollar both governments agreed to a similar accord on East-West trade policy only to discover which has hurt the franc and led later that they were interpreting to even tougher austerity it differently.

measures in France.

### Final Williamsburg advice for Howe

Bonu (AP-Dow Jones) - The economic revival in leading Western industrial nations begun at the start of this year. with demand and production rising, especially in the United States, West Germany and Britain, according to West finance discussions.

The economic climate also improved in other industrial nations, except for France, five leading economic research insti-tutes said in a joint report yesterday on the state of the world economy and the situation

The recovery could be traced specifically to a more expansive monetary policy that the US decided on last summer and which was followed in other A looser monetary policy was

international cooperation on issues such as exchange rates, next year. No country, it says, international debt and International Monetary Fund re- recovery programme. More details on TV deal

rising memployment and liquid-ity problems in the banking system. It also came as leading Further details of Polly Peck's deal to assemble and central banks saw room for more monetary expansion due to market colour television sets in Thorn EMI are expected to be announced today.

likely to inject a note of

For leading industrial nations, the institutes projected a 1983 real growth of gross national product averaging 0.5 per cent compared with zero compared blast years. The deal between Mr Asail Nadir's agricultural to packaging group and Thorn was announced last month after many months of talks. It is A 2 per cent growth in gnp this year was predicted for Britain, which registered a 1.1 estimated to be worth about £55m a year to Polly Peck. per cent increase in its combined output of all goods and services in 1982. The US will register a 2 The completion of the deal is

per cent growth in gnp, a optimism among the Polly Peck reversal from a 1.7 per cent gnp decline in 1982. shareholders. The highest growth in gnp is predicted for Japan - 3 per cent,

on May 28.

Britain's industrial and union sources. In particular, there will leaders will have their last be a call to halt and reverse the important opportunity tomorgrowing tide of protectionism. row to impress on Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Chancellor, their place in advance of the annual priorities for the forthcoming round of world economic and Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) in Paris on May 9, the combined meeting of the West's finance

Sir Geoffrey will tell them at the monthly meeting of the National Economic Development Council that the Govern-ment's priority will be to gain confirmation from other western nations of the objective of achieving sustainable non-inflationary economic growth.

The British Government will also be calling for renewed

Tomorrow's meeting takes

meeting of the Organization for

and trade ministers on May 10

and the Williamsburg summit

By Michael Clark colour sets a year for sale in Turkey at over £600 each. The group plans a similar operation Thorn EMI Fergusson. Britain's only colour TV manufac-

Nadir hopes that parts will be supplied eventually by Turkish

Production of the sets should begin at Polly Peck's new factors at College in factory at Gebses in October on the option of turning its single shift basis. The group Peck's subsidiary, Star Eletronik hopes to be able to step up retail deposit-taking oper-Sanayii ve Ticaret, will as production next year to over ation.

### A canny look at **US** banks

City Comment

The experience of the big clearing banks expanding in the United States has not been entirely happy one. In retrospect, it is all clear that the Midland, for instance, paid over the odds when it bought Crocker. While California is one of the most attractive banking markets in the US, the Crocker acquisition will take some time to prove

National Bank of North America has also given National Westminster considerable problems although there is now evidence that National is coming good.

These and other lessons have not been lost on the Bank of Scotland. It has been no secret that it has been on the lookout for a US bank for some time.
The Bank of Scotland balance-sheet, published today, shows it is comfortably capitalized to make an acquisition. The free capital ratio, for instance, already high compared with the other clearing banks at 5.3 per cent will increase to 5.9 per ceut when the second instalment of its recent US \$50m bond issue is paid up.

However, the Edinburghbased bank now admits to being less enthusiastic about buying a US bank. and keener on the idea of

expanding organically
The 34.5 per cent shareholding in the Bank of
Scotland held by Barclays
is one complication which TUC leaders will say in a paper to the NEDC meeting that the economic crisis in the OECD has reached crisis proportions, with unemployment forecast to rise to 35 million by could cause problems with US regulatory authorities. given Barclays' existing sizable presence in the US. Equally, the pace of change in the US banking industry brought about by deregulation and the tough task of finding a problem-free bank which is up for sale at a reasonable price, appear to have made the Bank of Scotland increasingly wary. Its caution looks wise, in turer, will supply all the parts for the deal initially, but Mr

the light of others' experience. There is no denying the attraction of a dollar deposit base for a bank He is still negotiating to which operates inter-market video cassette recorders nationally. But the Bank of which operates inter-Scotland now has access to

## Clymved's UK profits higher but a downtum overseas

Highlights from the statement of the Chairman, Sir Leslie Fletcher. to the shareholders of Glynwed International plc:

£17.682 million, much of this improvement due to severe rationalisation programme which began three years ago.

Overseas trading profits halved. South

African profits fell nearly 40%, whilst US

companies suffered heavily from the

- depressed state of the American economy Programme of public works called.
- Whilst UK profits should remain at least stable it is difficult to look for too much improvement in Group profits in 1983 unless the US and South African economies revive.

to help industry and the unemployed.

UK's trading profits rose by £5 million to Financial Highlights £'000 1981 Turnover 444,301 368,057 Trading profit 23,751 24,779 Group profit before taxation 13,733 19,232 Group profit attributable to ordinary shareholders 12.096 7.281 Ordinary dividends 6,153 4,799 Group profit retained 1.128 7,297 mployed 201,436 168,139 arv share 18.53p 14.58p basis 19.49p 20 62p nary share 7.35p 7.35p

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cational Bank of Oak Lawn, limois, insolvent and ap- cointed the Federal Deposit assurance Corporation as re- eiver, a spokesman said. The sank had experienced "very erious asset losses" over the last two years, as well as other armings problems, a spokes-	year-end negative net worth of \$34.5m. Because of some defaults \$28.2m of the company's long-term debt is subject to demand for accelerated payment, the auditors point out.
nan for the Comptroller said.	This has therefore been
SALE PLAN: Coca-Cola aid in Ailanta it has a reliminary agreement to sell coric Foods to the Charter	Air Florida had a working capital deficit of \$96.9m.
louse Group. The soft drink ompany announced the sale the sale than after Coca-Cola had	But since the auditors' judgment, dated March 28, the situation has changed with losses narrowing in the new first

airline which has been expand- profit in 20 months. ing its services out of Gatwick. may be unable to continue as a auditors Peat Marwick Mit-

efaults \$28.2m of the com- and Dusseldorf. any's long-term debt is subject demand for accelerated ayment, the auditors point

By Derek Harris, Commercial Editor Air Florida, the American Air Florida's first operating announced after the auditors'

In London at the weekend Air Florida emphasized likely going concern, according to its benefits from the upturn expected this year in air travel. being put by most airlines at 4 Factors cited in the judgment per cent or more. The company accompanying the airline's said there were no plans to cut annual report are the 1982 net any services in or out of oss of \$93.4m (£59m) and a Gatwick and the airline was ear-end negative net worth of proceeding with plans to start 34.5m. Because of some up new services to Frankfurt

Air Florida has been develop- from \$75.8m a year earlier.
ing its transatlantic services for Mr Donald Lloyd-Jones. some time, using Florida as its main gateway into the United This has therefore been States and initially battling on classified under the com- the basis of budget prices. It is the basis of budget prices. It is tory, "they clearly reflect the heavily involved in charter work, an expanding sector since the big transatlantic carriers company and returning it to any's current liabilities so that heavily involved in charter

Air Florida's losses for the

The company said the latest quarter included losses of \$2.6m on disposition of aircraft, whereas the year earlier quarter included a \$5m gain from excess insurance proceeds on the loss of the Boeing 737 that crashed on departure from Washington's National Airport in January last year.

Revenue for the quarter declined 29 per cent, to \$53.7m chairman and chief executive officer, said that although firstquarter results were unsatisfac-

raised the general level of fares. financial health". situation has changed, with new first quarter were cut to duction for the first quarter losses narrowing in the new first \$11m from \$14.7m for the same reflected Air Florida's planned quarter and March producing period last year, the company shrinkage during 1982.

### INVESTORS' NOTEBOOK

### **USM REVIEW**

### ROCKWARE III

- Rationalisation beginning to produce benefits
- Export impetus from reduced value of Sterling
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- To conserve cash this year no dividend declared

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J. H. Craigie, Chairman

Summary of Results		
•	Year ended 26 December 1982	Year ended 27 December 1981
	2000	2000
Sales	141,753	161,580
Profit before taxation	605	899
Earnings per share before Extraordinary items	2.88p	2.61p

### **ROCKWARE GROUP plc**

Copies of the 1982 Annual Report and Accounts may be obtained from The Secretary, Rockware Group plc, Rockware House, 17/21 Victoria Street, Windsor, Berks SL4 1HG

times earnings and argues that this is low compared with the £7.2m.

Unlisted Securities

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The group was formed in profits of the group have grown

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It looks as though brokers Phillips & Drew is on to a winner with Securiguard Group which makes its debut on the Unlisted Securities Market today.

P & D is unperturbed by Securiguard's fancy rating of 29 times earnings and argues that of 5.2m, which is valued at 15.2m, which provides industrial, office which provide

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5.7 4.7 9.3

the profit contribution of the two sides is evenly split, but the bias is gradually moving towards our security business,

Mr Baldwin wants to use the money from the placing to make several acquisitions in both the cleaning and security side of the business. "We have already got our eye on several private companies," he says.

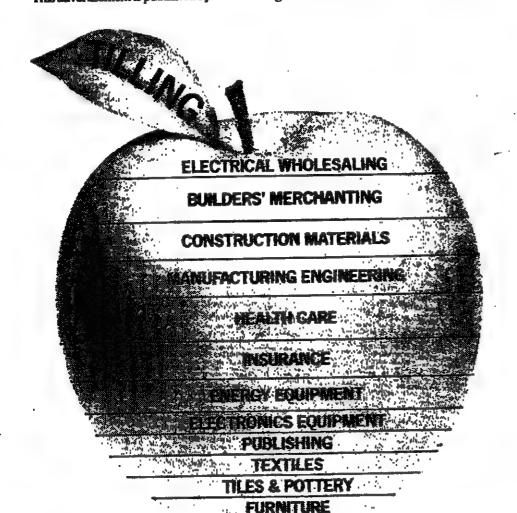
P & D hopes for anything up to a 15 per cent premium on the shares, but with the present mood of the market dealers is looking for something substantially higher.

Meanwhile, last week's four newcomers all made healthy starts in first-time dealings. Microlesse was the best per-former, ending the week at 145p compared with the placing price

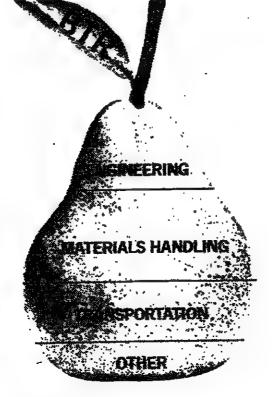
Spring Ram, the kitchen and bathroom equipment manufacturer, closed with a premium of 25p on the week at 130p. Strikes restaurants was also a strikes restaurants was also a winner, ending 20p up at 67p, but Mnessos, the Combined Technology offshoot, which has developed a computerised information storage and retrieval display system, saw its 17p premium cut to only 8p by Friday.

Michael Clark

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### AGENDA

- Approval of the Accounts for 1982 and of the Annual Report. Release from responsibility of the Board of Directors and of
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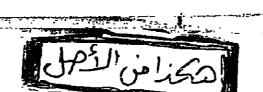
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The shareholders are requested to address any correspondence concerning the General Meeting to the Transfer Office of the Company at Cham (Switzerland).

The Board of Directors.



### Why builders query their 'recovery'

Britain's construction industry is in an impoverished state despite Government statements to the contrary. In some sectors orders and workload are half the level of 10 years ago, yet Environment ministers insist on painting the picture as a light shade of grey.

Sir George Young Parlia-mentary Under-Secretary at the Department of Environment. said last week: "We now have solid evidence of a recovery. Total output in 1982 was 1 per cent higher than in 1981 - the first rise since 1978 - and output in the fourth quarter was six per cent higher than in the same period a year earlier."

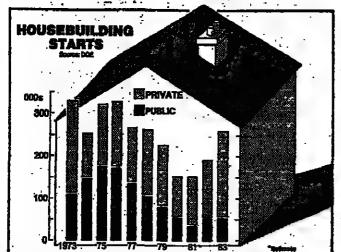
Civil engineering compan at least, would beg to differ. The heavy end of the construction industry has been publishing workload surveys which show that the leading companies would love to turn the clocks back a decade, to a time when large projects were there for the

A clear trend is beginning to emerge, underlined in today's state of trade inquiry published by the National Federation of Building Trades Employers. The inquiry would appear to reflect a healthier industry than we have seen since 1979, reporting that the number of companies with increased inquiries outnumber those with

Yet the number of companies reporting more inquiries is only a third of the number taking part in the survey: those receiving fewer inquiries receiving fewer inquiri account for more than a fifth.

The federation is putting on a brave face. Behind those statistics is the single fact that it is private-sector housebuilding which is doing most to lead the industry out of recession. Even so, fewer than one in three year, grant-aided and public-companies say they are receiv- subsidized renovation work was ing more inquiries for work in up by 75 per cent, compared the last quarter: 22 per cent with the previous three quar-report falling inquiries. ters' average. The federation report falling inquiries.

What is becoming clear within the industry is that a 300,000 mark in England alone large chasm is forming between — more than double the 1981. on the one band, those concerned with house building and housing renovation and, on the



in this country.

The most optimistic forecast

for the construction industry to

emerge so far has come from

the National Council of Building Material Producers. In a

recent -report on its industry

material producers spoke confi-

dently of a four per cent rise in workloads during 1983, reversing "the seemingly inexorable

declines and stagnations that

the industry has suffered in the

This year's predicted rise is expected to be reinforced with

further output increases during 1984 and 1985. Mr Nigel

Chaldecot, the council's director-

general, said that next year's

upturn would be more broadly-

based than in 1983. The

forecast went as far as suggest

ing that while housebuilders

may experience a hefty rise in

business there would be a downturn in 1984 as work

remembered that housebuilding federation president, said recently: "In essence we are and renovation work accounts talking about two totally differ for only a third of the building ent sectors within the construcindustry's output. Mr Fordy says that on the non-housing side prospects look at best cautious and at worst

tion industry. Not so much the classic distinction between building and civil engineering; nor indeed between public and gloomy. Industrial building workloads have fallen by 30 per private work; but rather the massive gulf now developing between housing and noncent over the past three years and that is bardly surprising housing work." when one realizes that there is about 175 million square feet of vacant factories and warehouses

Suddenly it does, indeed, look as though private-sector house building is beginning to boom. At the start of the year, housebuilders were forecasting private-sector starts of 160,000 compared with around 140,000 last year. Within four months. those estimates are being revised upwards. It now looks as though work will start on as many as 180,000 new privatesector homes this year, a rise of about 25 per cent over 1982.

renovation appears to be going through something of a boom. During the final quarter of last believes that this year publicly-

All this is good news for those ther hand, the rest.

As Mr Malcolm Fordy, the housing sector, but it should be. The material producers bethe activity being concentrated

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in the housing sector.

The Confederation of British Industry claims that industry is moving up a gear, but there is little to suggest that there will be a massive take-up of existing vacant warehouse and factory space. There would surely need to be some dent in the existing supply before institutions and developers start commissioning a lot more industrial building.

The industry has also suffered from a downturn in office building outside of the south-east of England and a sharp drop in retail development. Office rents have hardly risen to a level sufficient to make new development attractive, except for certain areas. Britain's builders have also

suffered from the political wrangles which have been rumbling on between Whitehall and the town halls.

And the industry took little comfort from the White Paper on expenditure which indicated

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lieve that construction work a 10 per cent increase on will switch to industrial building in 1984, rather than most of The sector council is expected

also to release its intermediate forecast for the industry. Statiticians are busily reworking the figures, which are believed to give weight and credence to the estimates of the building employers federation on housebuilding. It is thought that the forecast has been revised from 160,000 to 175,000 starts for

Builders are now far more confident of constructing far more houses than they were even a few months ago. Yet there is still a haunting spectre on the horizon in the form of mortgage queues, which are already squeezing the secondhand market Last autumn's dream of low interest rates has now disappeared.

**Baron Phillips** 

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### American notebook

### Free exchange rate era ending?

The struggle within the Reagan Administration over the future of foreign exchange policy is developing into a strong push against the cur-rent "hands off" policy in-itiated when President Reagan came to power.

He entered the White House committed to cutting the tax burden on the Ameri can people, cutting the growth of government spending drasti-cally, and cutting the link with the interventionist policies of Nixon-Ford-Carter era

The President has failed to contain the growth of govern-ment spending. He has also failed to ensure permanent cuts in the tax burden. The burden of taxation today is when the President came to

Certainly, there has been a big improvement in the rate of inflation. That is a great achievement. It is the result of policy between April 1981 and July 1982. That policy has now been abandoned and has been replaced by an expansion of the American money stock.

Since President Reagan came into office, many of the "new men" in government have cone.

Now there is the last issue outstanding beween the Federal Reserve and the Treasury that of intervention in the foreign exchange markets. The debate is now coming to

Feeling quite confident, Mr Volcker, the Federal Reserve's chairman, had made three statements in support of intervention - before the trilateral commission in Europe, before the Senate Banking Committee and on before the Senate Thursday in a speech to a foreign exchange

These statements by Mr Volcker are in direct contra-

What is more, Mr Volcker's statements directly contradict the policy statement made earlier this year by Mr Martin Feldstein, chairman of the Presidential Council of Economic Advisers, in which he stated that the strong dollar was the result of high real interest rates in the United States and that these high real interest rates were in turn the result of the very high Federal budget deficits,

Mr Feldstein went on to say that any attempt to reduce the value of the United States dollar by official intervention would be inflations

Despite Mr Feldstein's statement, the opponents of grievous defeats in the areas of taxation policy and monetary policy. In all these areas, the inflationists have registered major encresses.

**Maxwell Newton** 

### ESTATES AND GENERAL

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	1978 2000	1979 £000	1980 2000	1981 £000	1982
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Ordinary stockholders' funds	9,178	9,607	15,001	19,876	21,172
Investment portfolio	12,597	12,961	18,356	24,367	26,792
Net assets per ordinary stock unit	52.1p	54.6p	82.6p	109.4p	116.5p
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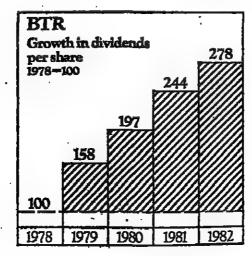
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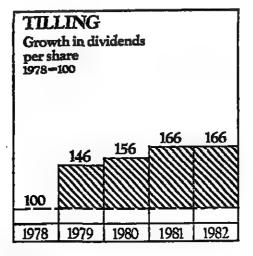
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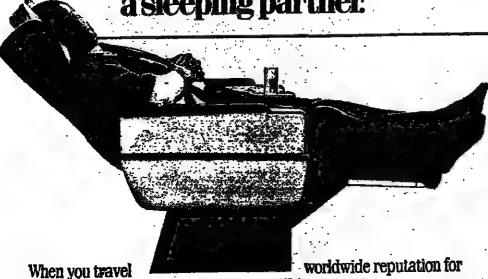


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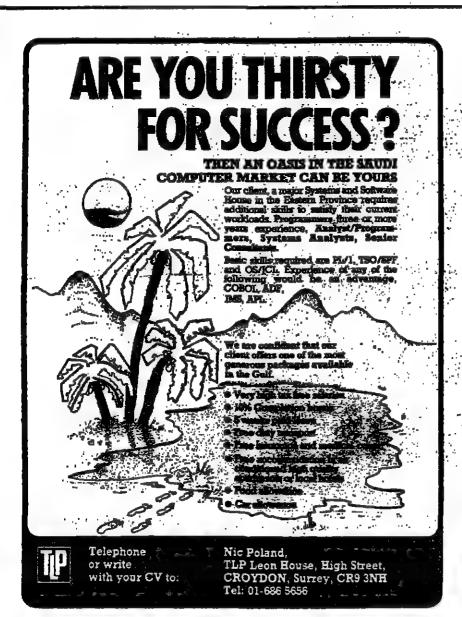
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### COMPUTER HORIZONS People/Warren Werblow of Scicon

### Hard facts on exports for software industry

Computer software has been described as the jewel in blow thinks it is a national asset which could be lost all too easily. "We probably import more software than we export," he points out.

Werblow is chief executive of Scicon Ltd; a subsidiary of British Petroleum, which is one of the leaders in computing Services. Earlier this year, he put the case for software to PITCOM, the Parliamentary Information Technology

This country, he told his listeners, has not made much headway in recent years in software exports. "The British, software industry is certainly exceedingly good and is recognised as such worldwide," he added. "But that's no ground

Warren Werblow has been around long enough to know that in computing there are no rewards for those who stand

### 'More should' be done to encourage our Selling abroad'

still. A physicist by training, he gained his first experience of computers in the 1960s when he worked in operational research with Philips and IPC. "I was always interested in applying scientific methodology to the problems of management," he

After 12 years in OR he joined Scicon in 1969 as a senior consultant, and became chief executive in 1981.

Scicon is not only concerned with software. It is a computer systems and services company with an annual turnover of more than £100m. Werblow's part of the group has a total revenue of about £25m. with major markets in defence,

energy, and industry.

He feels strongly that the firms is this business, and the government, cannot ignore-world markets. "It's an international trade," he explains. It is against this beckground We market some imported products under licence, and a number of ours are sold overseas by our associate companies or agents."

But unless the Government remain uncompetitive while acts soon to strengthen the hand of the software industry abroad, he believes the opportunity to compete effectively may be lost. Our biggest deals have been won overseas," Werblow points out "More should be done to fin years affead.

for years allead The changes in computing since I joined Scicon have been staggering. Werblow says. In my early days convincing clients of the benefits of computers was a major problem. In the last four or five years the degree of secondal-lifty. years, the degree of sceeptability has grown quite remarkably. Now there's a tremendous pull from the market place."

of a shifting emphasis in the computing business that Wer-blow takes his stance on the need for government support.
The rest of the world will not

industry so that it can export And software is only part of the range of activities which make up computing services. Werblow would like to see the private sector do more public sector computing work, and receive the type of turnkey contracts which are common in

"In Britain," he complains,
the computing services industry has not yet been given its
rightful place as a contributor to

Roger Woolnough

### Cooperation on a new system

### How Mabel won a factory's heart

member of staff who joins us very little literature and few this year, and from whom we lessons are available on this can expect a great deal of subject."

electrical connector manufac-programme, developing new turer of East Grinstead, is literature and training material encouraging its employees "to designed to encourage active get familiar" with its new IBM participation. 4341 computer.

Contracts were exchanged that, to achieve this, the outside

IBM advised HD, in view of 7.30am, involving every key the complexity, to implement member of the company and the change over two years. This the IBM team. (This building of was rejected, partly for commer- a combined team attitude cial considerations, but mainly helped considerably, with cial considerations, but mainly because HD believed that its Mabel becoming a fully-fledged 650 workers would support the change if the technology was explained, free of jargon, and the practical motivation made

HD firmly believed that the encouraging those people who new IBM units could be required training to accept the introduced in half the IBM new techniques because of the recommended timescale, simuladyantages that would be taneously maintaining full customer service with existing equipment, But, says Mr David Burt, deputy managing director, this would be possible only if the whole workforce and not just those working with the computers would be carried

There was a reticence by times, chaos. the "attitude programme" which HD feels its employees which, according to Burt, is may have in their mind but fundamental to implementing might feel unable to encourage the British software

Burt and his management organization, or the changeove exercises a variety of management skills, some of which are little-discussed or considered in the planning phase. Burt says: The computer companies fail to advise their clients of the significance of the psychological aspects of the change. Many of the difficulties in implementing a new computer system stem

from the attitude of the workforce, the management and

"Say hello to Mabel, our new the implementation team, and

HD had to resort to research-This is the way that Heller ing and planning the "attitude" mann Deutsch (HD), the aspect of the implementation

It was also important to HD

between HD and IBM a year support team had to feel fully ago after a steering committee, integrated into its own project consisting of representatives team who were to be fully from each of the six key user responsible for all aspects of the areas, decided that Mabel was implementation. Various means the best candidate to take over were developed to achieve these from the outgrown Burrough's aims, the most significant being breakfast briefings, beginning at member of staff within a year.) But Burt believes it was the personalized approach to the computerization that has had the most fundamental effect on the most fundamental these the most fundamental these the attitude of the workforce, the management team at the attitude of the workforce,

The simplification of the aims and objectives of the IBM 4341 into a series of cartoon presentations helped to inform the workforce, and three months into the programme an computers would be carried employee survey demonstrated into the programme, and that to a remarkable degree the the reasons for complex compu-terization and its timescale of support Mabel had received, one year were appreciated, and with 88 per cent accepting the accepted".

outside advisers, including Subsequent Mabel literature members of the IBM team, to is still contributing to a change Subsequent Mabel literature might feel unable to express. Knowing that "audit trails" and "fields" are not something

team believe the introduction of to hike or graze on, but vital a new computer into any parts of processing, has contributed to HD being unique in from one computer company's implementing a computer in-hardware to another, inevitably stallation with the full support of its workforce in so short a

> As Burt says: "IBM is one of the largest and most technically advanced companies in the world - and they are big enough to learn new ways of introduc-ing one of their computers into a company from the Heller-mann Deutsch experience".

Lynda King Taylor

### Letter/Artificial intelligence

### Sonnets? No - Solutions? Yes

From D. A. Fraser, lecturer itself, and everything else. In a reach required ends and high in electronics, Chelses College, multi-processor system, an calculating ability, the system University of London: activity can be inspected by one will act in ways that have not

ability of a computer to modify its environment. This ability can include mobility of part or all of the computer, and the ability to make gross changes. For instance an automatically-controlled buildozer could flatten irregularities in the terrain. Going with this is the ability

to sense what effect the computer's actions have had leading to an ability to dis-tinguish between items that are part of the computer system

changes, there is need to decide what changes are worth making. and this power of decision may be called a motive. Present computers are not given an overriding motive, but it is easy to start a paper design of a military computer which would protect itself against intruders, and take action to maintain continuity of its power supply.

Such a system then has the motive of self-preservation. With motive, ability to act to

I should like to suggest how part of a system while another been predicted, it will not write intelligence and creativity may part of the system is carrying somets, but will create soluppear in computer systems of out the activity. important. These will youd those set by its makers, as they will include those caused by the random events in the world impinging on the computer's sensors.
Direct solutions will excite no

amazement but indirect solutions, for instance the design of a subsystem whose purpose is to solve a problem, will appear creative. Indeed, such a system is exhibiting creativity, and to

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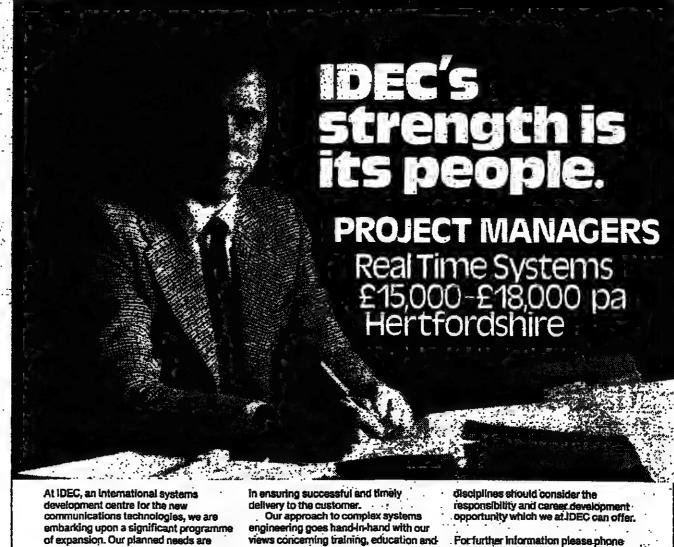


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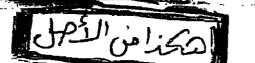


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### The week: Clive Cookson

### Alvey problems for **IBM**

The official response to the they report, announced at last on Thursday, was along the lines suggested by recent leaks: over five years the government will contribute £50m to academic research and £150m to industrial projects in advanced information technology, if the companies involved match that

ance work.

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day running is assisted

dependants. Its major task is the

maintenance of all types of navigation aids, whether fixed

or floating, visual, audio or

electronic. Nearly 700 buoys, 94 light-

Two years ago, a study of

Brighton, and Trinity House has ordered an MX 10 model

with 43 megabytes of disc storage. Four VDUs and a dot

matrix printer are also to be installed at the Corporation's Tower Hull headquarters, where the WIMS system will be run.
WIMS, the Works Information Management System,

was originally developed by ABS Computers for the Depart-ment of Health and Social

Security in 1981. It has since

been installed by 14 other customers, including Bristol

Head Post Office, British Caledonian, British Aerospace

and the Bowater-Scott Corpor

range of maintenance documen-tation. A special asset key was devised for Trinity House to

possible, because engineers rather than computer personnel

The first two characters of the

key denote the control area, such as TH for Trinity House,

and the next two the type of location, which could be BE for beacon or LH for lighthouse.

Geographical location is shown

heating) follow, divided into

eering categories, plus an identifying number for the piece of machinery.

Management information can be extracted from WIMS by

the key.

A further change has also been made to WIMS because of

the complexity of some of the navigation aids. Through adopt-

aging or obsolescent items with

will be operating it.

pound for pound.
The funding mechanism proposed by John Alvey and his committee last September would have allowed the government to pay 90 per cent of industry's hasic research costs rather than the 50 per cent that the Treasury and Downing Street eventually imposed as a standard contribution. Therefore the government will provide less than 60 per cent of the programme's total £350m bud-

get rather than the 70 per cent envisaged by Alvey. Although the industry was naturally disappointed by this reduction, the initial reaction to was pleasure and relief that the government had put the Alvey show on the road at last, after taking eight months to study its recommendations. Nearly two years have passed since the world first became aware of the Japanese programme to build a "fifth generation" of intelligent computers for the 1990s - the original inspiration of all the

existing maintenance pro-cedures concluded that a com-The delay turned out to have been caused entirely by Inde-vision about funding and manputerised management information service would be essen agement rather than the protial if Trinity House were to continue to fulfil its role satisfactorily. With the help of a consultant, the engineer-in-chief's department examined gramme's content. The government has adopted without change Alvey's recommen-dations for the four priority areas of research. In order of every suitable computer system likely expenditure, they are: available before selecting turnkey package from a British company. ABS Computers in very large scale integration, machine interface, and intelli-Woking, part of the Trafalgar Group.

ABS Computers manufactures the MX range of 16-bit minicomputers at its factory in Trinity House gent knowledge-based systems. Brian Oakley, secretary of the Science and Engineering Research Council, will head a

Grestrong full-time directorate in the Department of Industry who will manage the Alvey programme. He reports to a small supervisory board of industrialists chaired by Sir Robert Telford, a director of tel C and chairman of Marconi. Apparently the government several high-powered figures from within the electronics

, h. Now 56-year-old Mr Oak-... whose career has been spent government rescarch establishments and the Civil Service, must provide the which the Alvey Committee saw as a "prime requirement" for NUCCOSN

The system holds a central asset register of buildings and equipment from which infor-The directorate should be in place by June, and Mr Jenkin expects the first research mation is drawn to produce a contracts to be placed by the end of the summer. make the system as self-expl-anatory and casy to use as On a more controversial note,

the government has endorsed the involvement of foreign multinationals. IBM and the other American companies (who take eight of the top nine places in the British computer league) can take part only if they can guarantee that the work will be explorted entirely in this country and that technical information by a four character code, for example: BURN for Burnham Flats or HELF for Helford River. Details of the type of equipment (TOW for tower, ALT for alternator, or HEA for will not "leak overseas to the benefit of Britain's competi-

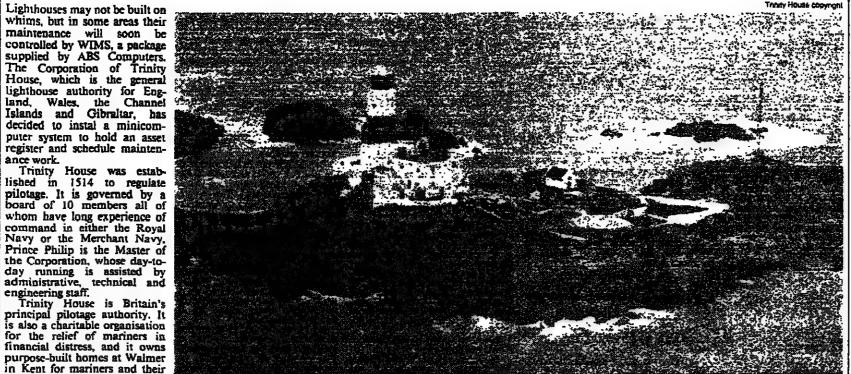
On the face of it, many multinationals will find it hard to provide the "cast iron assurances" that Mr Jeakin will require. IBM had no immediate civilian, mechanical and engin-comment on whether it would be eering categories, plus an able to take part. "We need to know more details about the conditions," a spokesman said. British-owned bardware and

software companies expressed using part or all of the key. By general enthusiasm for getting typing in "HELF" a user could to work on Alvey projects as call up details of all equipment to work on Alvey projects as soon as possible. "We're looking forward to playing a major role". said Mike Watson, technical director of ICL.

Winston Muktarsingh, rechnical director of Scicon, welcomed the report "with one note of caution: the emphasis must he on the long-term needs of ing a policy of keeping abreast industry, as opposed to research of new technology, Trinity that is only interesting from an House is constantly replacing academic point of view."

Mini system to keep the lighthouses shipshape

### Trinity House goes on line



Skerries lighthouse - one of 94 Trinity House lighthouses and soon to come under the computer umbrella for its maintenance

more sophisticated devices which are often automatic or semi-automatic, and are therefore of more complicated

houses (including some which construction, are unmanned and electronical- An examp are unmanned and electronical-ly controlled), and 27 light replacement of several light vessels come under the control vessels by Large Automatic of Trinity House, and the Navigation Buoys, or LANBYS. ance bill is more than £3m. powered by diesel generators. Although some local and having electric light and fog harbour authorities look after sea marks within their port primarily aimed at hospital limits. Trinity House still users, there was insufficient and performs regular inspections.

The Corporation's main maintenance, such as job cards, workshops are situated at workshops are situated at manuals and specifications for subcontractors.

Feedback from the workshops can be used to build up maintenance histories or to the servicing maintenance histories or to maintenance histories or to maintenance histories or to maintenance histories or to the servicing maintenance histories or to maintenance histories feet.

"We have no fixed schedule are likely to be installed there at for installing the system but are a later stage, so that WIMS can gradually phasing it in" said be used for stock control and gradually phasing it in", said Trinity House, "Initially it will be used as an information

LANBYS, so the system had to is also a major stores holding and further VDUs and printers

invoicing.
Once WIMS is fully opersystem, mostly for assets, so our ational it will generate all first phase is to get all the assets documentation relating to de-

information on reliability and other technical or

financial topics. At the moment Trinity House accounting systems are run on an outside bureau service, but it should be possible to feed WIM5 information into overall accounts If the initial WIMS pilot

project is a success, the system is likely to be expanded into a network linking depots around

Maggie McLening speed, image processing uses

### Image processing

Seeing arms for working robots There are already many essentially the same equipment

applications of image pro- as the rest of the computer ressing in industry such as the world except that a frame store automatic checking of sheets of

rolled metal for faults. Such systems are usually 'one-off" pieces of hardware built for simple, repetitive tasks. The newer systems will be general purpose image pro-cessing equipment which can be reprogrammed for different

in factories at present perform but now cameras are beginning to be added to the robot arms, orient them correctly and assemble them into a complete product. This is not too difficult a task to program, but com-puters are often still too slow to do it economically.

Image processing commonly makes heavy demands on computer time, because of the large number of picture elements in the image to be analysed. Typically a picture is analysed by breaking it up into small pieces of the image perhaps as many as 250,000

One solution to the problem of time is the use of an array processor, a computer peripheral which can sometimes make calculations a hundred times faster. Another common ap-proach is to work through the program in slow-motion on the computer to decide how to tackle it, and then build electronic circuits to speed up the computer for the specific problem.

is usually attached to the computer to enable the pro-grammer to see the results of the processing. The frame store is a device able to store a whole television picture in electronic memory. Every part of that picture can be altered under

computer control.

British firms have done well Almost all of the robots used in producing frame stores and factories at present perform peripheral image processing equipment. The complexity of the hardware and differences in world video standards have prevented them from being swamped by mass-produced. world wide products.

As in other areas of comput-ing, the cost of software is dominating the hardware cost of a project. The majority of image processing projects are funded by the Science and Engineering Research Council (SERC) and a major effort to promote the importance of the field and rationalize existing work has started with a review of the UK image processing scene by Dr Joseph Kittler of Rutherford Appleton Labora-tories. British scientists do fairly well in the field of image processing software, falling second only to the material and manpower resources of the US. The British Pattern Recognition Association conference at

Oxford in August will provide a forum to demonstrate progress

Except where there are Dr Kichard Stevens problems in obtaining sufficient. The author is an image Dr Richard Stevens processing scientist.

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### 'Wound' must break the whole skin

Before Lord Justice Robert Goff and

[Judgment delivered April 28] A wound, for the purposes of section 20 of the Offenees against the Person Act 1861, was a break in the continuity of the whole skin; the rupture of blood vessels internally was not sufficient. The Queen's Bench Divisional Court so held. allowing an appeal by case stated from the Edmonton Justices, sitting as a juvenile court on May 17, 1982, and quashing the appellant defend-ant's conviction.

Mr Glen Brasse for the defendant; Mr Robert Rhodes for the

LORD JUSTICE ROBERT GOFF said that the appellant had been charged with unlawfully and maliciously wounding one Martin Cook contrary to section 20 of the Offences against the Person Act

nad been taken through a number of Cases about what constituted wounding, all decided between 1830 and 1850, by which time the word when they had seen Cook standing with some friends on the other side.

The two accused had with them an (1830) I Mood 278).

Dir gun which L aiming at the group

the area of the left eye. The justices held that the whole skin must be had found that the injury amounted broken, and an abrasion affecting to a bruise just below the left the cuticle or epidermis was not cycbrow, and that fluid filling the enough. front part of his left eye had for a

cells in the fluid of the eye been a rupture of the membrane of indicating at least the rupture of a the urethra, which had caused blood blood vessel or vessels internally, to issue. In both those cases, the was sufficient to constitute a wound for the purpose of section 20 of the The appellant while taking no

issue with the justices' findings that he had been involved and that he had been malicious, nevertheless contended that the conviction should be quashed because the injury had not constituted a wound.
His Lordship said that the court had been taken through a number of

opposite, fired twice.

Cook had been hit by a pellet in ((1838) 8 Car & P 635) it had been

In R v Shadbolt ((1833) 5 Car & P time afterwards abnormally contained red blood cells.

The justices had concluded that the abnormal presence of red blood cells in the fluid of the eye been a rupture of the membrane of the injury had been held to constitute a

> From those cases one could see a picture emerging of a wound as being any break in the continuity of the whole skin, including that of internal cavities where continuous with the outer skin. Mr Rhodes, on behalf of the prosecutor, submitted that that test was not sufficient for the purposes of the 1861 Act; that 'wound' should

vessel. He cited R v Warman ((1846) I Den 183) where "mortal wound". for the purposes of an indictment for murder, had been held to include an internal breach of the

include the rupture of a blood

result of extravasation of blood pressing upon the brain.

But that was an unusual case, not concerned with wounding within the words of the statute then in force, but with the common sense meaning of wounding for the purposes of a coroner's mequisition. It could give no guidance in the

Looking at the cases, one saw a continuous stream of authority establishing that a wound was a break in the continuity of the whole skin. It would be wrong for the court to depart from that.

The justices' conclusion, that the internal rupture of blood vessels constituted a wound, had not been in accordance with the law because there had been no break in the Accordingly, the justices had

erred in finding the appellant guilty and the conviction should be Mr Justice Mann agreed.

Solicitors: J. G. Daultry & Co., infield: Solicitor, Metropolitan

### Justices did not err in refusing adjournment

Taylor v Baird and Watters Before Lord Justice Robert Goff and Mr Justice Mann [Judgment delivered April 27]

Justices who dismissed an information after refusing to allow an adjournment on the application of the prosecutor did not err in law in so refusing where there was evidence that the prosecutor's case was in disarray, but no exceptional difficulty had arisen, and where he was not deprived of some other

The Queen's Bench Divisional Court so held in dismissing an appeal by way of case stated by James Edward Taylor against a decision of the Barnet Justices who dismissed informations laid by him on July 29, 1982 alleging an assault contrary to section 42 of the contrary to section 42 of the The two police officers entered cation from driving, as in R r Officers against the Person Act pleas of not guilty to the assault Croydon Crown Crown Court. Ex parte 1801 upon him by Allan Baird and charge, and Mr Taylor's solicitor Lenham) ([1974] RTR 493), and

Gerry Watters, police officers of the offered no evidence. The infor-Mctropolitan Police. of the offered no evidence. The infor-mations were dismissed, and Mr Mr Richard Methuen for Mr

police officers. JUSTICE ROBERT GOFF said that Mr Taylor preferred an information against the two police officers on July 29, 1982 The information was heard by the

justices on August 26, 1982. Mr Taylor's solicitor had not arrived when the case was called on at 11.45 am, and the justices allowed an the court building in search of a witness, without having notified the court. At 12.40 pm the case was civil a second time and the leavest similarly, where the order made

Taylor was ordered to pay £150

It was submitted that the justices had erred in law in refusing to allow an application for an adjournment. been upheld by the courts.

In the leading case Maxwell v Keun ([1928] I KB 645), it had been acceded to where the rights of the parties were altogether defeated by the refusal to allow an adjournment. That was not the case here, since At 12.15 pm the solicitor arrived, which time Mr Taylor had left it was still open to Mr Taylor to

called a second time and the justices involved the imposition of a proceeded to hear the case, in the penalty, as In re M (an infant) absence of Mr Taylor.

(1968) 1 WLR 1847), or disqualifi-

hearing be beld, the justices' decision to refuse an adjournment

Mr Taylor, however, had suffered no penalty nor injury to his rights, since he was not deprived of a remedy. His case before the justices was in disarray, and it had been conceded that he had had ample time within which to prepare for the

Each case turned on its own facts and in exceptional circumstances the court would interfere to quash the decision of the justices. This case was not in that category however, and the justices had not

erred in refusing an adjournment.

The application would be dis-Mr Justice Mann agreed.

Solicitors: Turner & Debenhams, Boreham Wood; Solicitor, Metropolitan Police.

### Refusing benefit during work stoppage

skin, although externally there had been only the appearance of a and Social Security bruise. The victim had died as a Before Lord Justice Stochesson Before Lord Justice Stephenson, Lord Justice Kerr and Lord Justice

[Judgment delivered April 28]

A claimant for unemployment benefit who had lost employment because of a stoppage of work caused by a trade dispute at his place of employment should be disqualified under section 19(1) of the Social Security Act 1975 from receiving the benefit if he was directly interested in" the disput so that its probable outcome would "directly" affect him but a claimant was not "directly" interested in a dispute if its outcome would only
affect him after and as a result of
further and distinct negotiations
even if those were in practice likely
to lead to a substantially identical

The Court of Appeal so held, in a reserved judgment, allowing an appeal by Mrs Kathleen Presho from a decision of the Social Security Commissioner, Mr Commissioner Goodman, on March 27, 1981, who had dismissed her appeal from the local tribunal for Accrington and Rossendale who had refused her unemployment henefit from November 18 to 22

Leave to appeal to the House of Lords was granted.

Mr John L. Hand for Mrs Presho;
Mr Simon D. Brown for the
Department of Health and Social

LORD JUSTICE KERR mid that the issue as to Mrs Presho's entitlement to unemployment benefit had been reated as a test case from the beginning, since it applied to all of 417 production workers – of whom she was one - at the factory of Brooke Bond Oxo Ltd. Hartley

treet, Great Harwood,
It had also been so treated on this appeal, because it raised a point of the interpretation and application of section 19(1) of the Social Security Act 1975 as amended by the Employment Protection Act 1975 Employment Protection Act 17/2 which had not previously been considered by the court, bearing in mind that before 1980 there were no appeals from the decisions of National Insurance Commiss (as they were previously called).

The background to the dispute at Nevertheless, it clearly imposed a the factory which caused Mrs very considerable gloss upon those Presho to become unemployed was that in 1978 a governmental pay restraint scheme was in force which

provided for pay rises over different ges referred to as phases 1, 2 and 3. The commissioner found that Mrs Presho was at the material time employed as an instructor/machine operator, at the food factory in

She was a member of the Union of Shop, Distributive and Allied Workers (USDAW). Also employed at the factory were 57 maintenance engineers who were members of the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers (AUEW).

The AUEW put in a demand for the phase I and 2 increases to be consolidated into their basic wages which demand would, if conceded, presumably represent a financial improvement for them, in that overtime rates calculated on besic rates would thereby be increased. The management of the factory

demand. A work-to-rule was imposed by the maintenance engineers. As a result of an alleged refusal by two engineers to do a particular job and their consequent

particular job and their consequent suspension, work came to a standstill at the factory.

On November 20, 1978, all 417 production workers were laid off, as machines were not being repaired. The stoppage of work ended on November 23, 1978, when work resumed in the factory, the terms of settlement being that pay nego-tiations would be brought forward to an earlier date in 1979 than had been originally contemplated.

Mrs Presho's claim for unemploy-

ment benefit from November 18 to 22, 1978, was disallowed by the local insurance officer on ground that the stoppage of work which had caused her to lose her employment was due to a trade dispute at her place of employment and that she was not able to prove that she was not directly interested in the trade dispute. That disqualifi-cation was upheld on appeal by the

local tribunal The commissioner made it clear that there was no question that Mrs. Presho had been "participating in" the trade dispute which caused the stoppage, and that the issue was solely whether or not she had shown that she was not "directly interested in" that trade dispute. n" that trade dispute.

in that trade dispute.

The evidence showed that the practice of management at the factory was to apply across the board any alterations in the pay structure which might be applied to any part of the total workforce, although there was no collective as gh there was no collective or other agreement to that effect.

Separate collective agreements negotiated with USDAW and AUEW were in force, but on the evidence it was clear that at any rate in relation to wages, any renegotiation of one would be followed by a renegotiation of the

All the decisions referred to by the commissioner followed a statement in the decision R (U)

statement in the decision R (U) (3/71 by a Scottish commissioner, which had been referred to with approval in the Court of Session:

"Without attempting to define precisely what is meant by 'direct interest'. I think that a claimant should not be associated as having a direct interest in another person's dispute... unless there is a close association between the two occupations concerned and the outcome of the dispute is likely to affect the claimant, not at a number of claimant, not at a number of removes, but virtually automati-cally, without further intervening

The attraction of that attempt at defining a test as to whether or not a person was "directly interested in the trade dispute which caused the stoppage of work" no doubt lay in matism in the sense that it might be relatively easy to apply to particular situations, whereas it was extremely difficult, as experience and shown, to formulate any other test of what Parliament might have intended to convey by those words.

words, which appeared to go far beyond their natural meaning, for a

First, it substituted for the question whether the claimant was directly interested in the dispute the question whether "the outcome of the dispute is likely to affect the claimant". But "interested in" was different from "affected by".

Second, the wording of the

section was directed claimant's interest (whatever that might mean) in the dispute itself, might mean) in the dispute itself, whereas the test related to the "outcome of the dispute", and indeed to its "likely" outcome. However, the grammatical object of "participating in" and "financing" was clearly the dispute alone, so why should the outcome of the dispute be the object of "directly interested in". interested in"?

Third, even if the test could be regarded as an acceptable gloss on the words "interested in the dispute", what about the word "directly"? If the question whether or not the claimant was interested in the dispute was to be answered by reference to the question whether or not be or she was likely to be affected by its outcome, should the word "directly" not be interpreted as having the meaning of "auto-matically" and not of "virtually automatically", whatever "virtual-

ly might comprise?

Finally, without speculating as to what might have been the underlying social or political reasons for that provision, which would clearly be impermissible, the construction which would be impermissible. which had been placed upon it appeared to lead to somewhat strange consequences in the context of a disqualification from unem-

ployment benefit As shown by the present case, if the commissioner's decision was correct, then the consequences of employers laying off a part of their workforce, who were not in dispute workforce, who were not in dispute and were not participating in the dispute, was to disqualify them from the receipt of unemployment benefit solely because the employers were likely to apply to that part of the workforce, "virtually automatically", the same benefits – or possibly in other cases detriments – which would ultimately follow upon the cessation of the dispute and the resumption of work.

resumption of work.

However, in considering the very substantial difficulties, as they appeared to his Lordship, of reconciling the suggested test with the wording of the statutory provision, it was necessary fully to review its legislative history and the decisions which had sought to

In the connexion two matters had to be borne in mind. First the and to be borne in mind. First the above-mentioned test of a "direct interest" in a dispute appeared to have been accepted in general terms by a majority in the Court of Session in 1977, and it would obviously be undesirable that a statutesty provision which applied statutory provision which applied equally on both sides of the border should be interpreted differently in the two jurisdictions.

the two jurisdictions.

Second, that was a field in which
the Court of Appeal had on two
occasions said that the decisions on which tribunals and commissioners had acted should only be disturbed if there were really compelling reasons for doing so: see? R v National Insurance Commissioner, Ex parte Stratton ([1979] QB 361) and Crowe v Anderson ([1982] 1 WLR 1209).

a consistent trend, one had to bear in mind that Parliament had "directly interested in the trade dispute", against the background of decisions, without any alteration of

claimant from relying upon the proviso as it now appeared in section 19(1) of the 1975 Act, and was therefore sufficient to disqualify

a claimant from receiving unem-ployment benefit if he or she was laid off due to a stoppage resulting from the dispute. Accordingly, his Lordship did not think that that conclusion could now properly be reversed in the

Court of Appeal. However, accepting that a claimant was "directly interested in a dispute" if its probable outcome would "directly," affect him, what

prexisting collective agreement to the effect that any change in the remuneration of the maintenance engineers would also be applied automatically to the production

was the policy of the management and perhaps also an inescapable

dispute, as indeed happened, was

each other.

The collective agreements in force for the engineers were different from those which were in force for

His Lordship examined the history of the legislation and the relevant reported decisions. To the extent that review showed d the words

decisions, except one, had to be regarded as unammously conclud-ing that an interest in the probable

meaning was to be given to the word "directly"? The preponderant, and indeed accepted view was that directly did not require the outcome to affect the claimant automatically, but that "directly" was to be equated with "virtually automatically".

In the instant case, there was no

workers.
The position was merely that it

reality, that any changes would be applied across the board to the whole workforce. The probable outcome of the

engineers would be renegotiated at about the same time as that of the production workers. It was also probable that the results of both negotiations would be in line with

the production workers and both would require separate renegotia-tion of their evidently different

Was that a situation which was covered by the word "directly". It might well be covered by equating "directly" with "virtually automatically". That was the conclusion of the commissioner on the evidence, and that conclusion could not be and that conclusion could not be questioned on an appeal which was confined to points of law.

But was "directly" to be equated with "virtually automatically" as a matter of law? That was not the correct interpretation of "directly". The context in which the issue arose in the instant case was that of a disqualification from the receipt of unemployment benefit when a claimant had lost her job without being in any dispute with her employers and without in any way having participated in a dispute involving other members of the workforce which had led to their

In that context, the word "directly" should be construct strictly and narrowly. To construe it as "automatically," would clearly

satisfy that construction. However, to extend the meaning to "virtually automatically" and then to apply it to facts such as those in the present case, went further than the meaning which should properly be given to "directly" in

this context.

The proper meaning of "directly" given the remainder of the extensive gloss which had already been placed upon the words "directly interested n the dispute", was that the circumstances were such that the probable autcome of the dispute would automatically affect the claimant by virtue of agreement, whether

would be allowed. Lord Justice Slade and Lord

Justice Stephenson agreed. Solicitors: Mr Jack Thornley, Ashton under Lyne; Solicitor, Department of Health and Social

### Guarantor liable after change

ation Ltd v Goodman

Before Lord Justice Stephenson, Lord Justice O'Connor and Sir Denys Buckley

Liudement delivered April 281 The Court of Appeal, delivering a reserved judgment, dismissed an appeal by the defendant, Mr Harry Goodman, from an order of Mr appear by the detendant, Mr Harry Goodman, from an order of Mr Justice Bingham dated May 13, 1982, who held that the plaintiffs, First National Finance Corporation Ltd, were entitled to judgment for £338.165 together with interest of £129,368 which sums were owed to First National under a guarantee given by Mr Goodman and Mr Alan Stuart Fishman and Mr Maurice Stanley Fishman to Cassel Arenz & Co Ltd for moneys owed by

Apartotel (London) Ltd.

Mr W. S. E. Getz, QC and Mr
Richard Behar for Mr Goodman;

Mr R. N. Thomas, QC and Mr C.

M. Smith for First National.

LORD JUSTICE STEPHENSON said that the question was whether on the true construction of the written guarantee Mr Goodman, as guarantor, was liable to pay the creditor, First National, a considerable sum of money owed by the debtor company, Aperiotel (Lon-

don) Ltd.

The guarantee was addressed not to First National but to Cassel Arenz & Co Ltd (Cassel) consisting of 18 printed clauses signed on June 2, 1970, by Mr Goodman and by two other gentlemen named Fishman. The Fishmans were property owners and developers, Mr Goodman was described by the judge as an ourstandingly successful entrepreneur in the package boliday

On January 20, 1970, Apartotel was incorporated with Mr Good-man and the Fishmans as first directors and shareholders. Apartotel needed capital. Cassel, a wholly owned subsidiary of First National, agreed to lend it.

The negotiations leading to the grant of overdraft facilities and to the guarantee were conducted with Cassel, apart from one meeting with First National. By the end of 1971 Apartotel owed Cassel £13 470 On January 1, 1972, (or April 28,

1972, when an agreement was executed for the sale and purchase of Cassel's property undertaking and assets including the benefit of all subsidiary guarantees) Cassei merged into or amalgamated with First National and ceased to trade. Thereafter, all facility letters and

advances were made to Apartotel not by Cassel but by First National Whether or not that change of name was incorporated in the documents in other respects they remained the same, including the account num-

Apartotel.
He had nover been actively concerned in the management of Apartotel. He probably did not see Cassel's facility letters and he was not informed of the merger or amalgamation of January 1972. In September he ceased to have September as crased to nave anything to do with Apartotel but he took no steps to terminate his liability under the guarantee. [His present solicitors were not his legal advisers at that time.]. In about April 1973 the news of

his departure from Apartotel reached First National By that time Apartotel owed about £300,000.
On April 16, 1975, when Apartotel's debt had grown to £543,984. Cassel executed a deed of transfer assigning to First National the benefit of the guarantees specified in the schedule", where in

fact only the guarantee in the present one was specified.

Thereafter advances mounted rapidly, unknown to Mr Goodman and in May 1977 First National demanded from Apartotel payment. In June it was resolved that Apartotel be wound up.

All advances made by Cassel to Apartotel had been repaid, and all or most of the advances made by the First National from 1972 until the 1975 assignment had been repaid. On September 12, 1979, Mr Goodman was shocked to receive First National's demand for pay-ment of £338,165 under his guarantee. If his guarantee covered advances until January 1, 1972, only, (or until April 16, 1975 only) his liability under the guarantee was extinguished (or nearly ex-tinguished) and he did not owe the

sum claimed as principal debt and interest, or anything like it.

By clause 1 of the guarantee Cassel were defined, where the context so admitted, as including their assignees and by clause 18(A) as including their successors and assignees and any company with which they might amalgamate. Thus at first glance the issue of Mr Goodman's liability for advances made by First National would seem to be decided by the express terms of the guarantee.

First National were, if not a successor of Cassel, assignees of Cassel, at least since April 1975, and a company with which Cassel amalgamated, at least since April 1972. Why did they not stand in Cassel's shoes and why could they not enforce Cassel's rights against Mr Goodman?

It appeared from examining authorities that both by statute and at common law a change in the

In September 1972, when Aparto-tel owed First National £149,415 Mr Goodman and the Fishmans fell out, and Mr Goodman ceased to be a director or shareholder of doubt what some textbooks stated.
that the same principle should apply to individuals and bodies corporate.

The guarantor's knowledge of both creditor and debtor might be material to his guaranteeing the debts of the one to the other, whether those persons were firms, companies or individuals Banking houses might be partnerships or corporations, and the effect of any change in the identity of the partners or of the corporation on facilities and guarantees granted

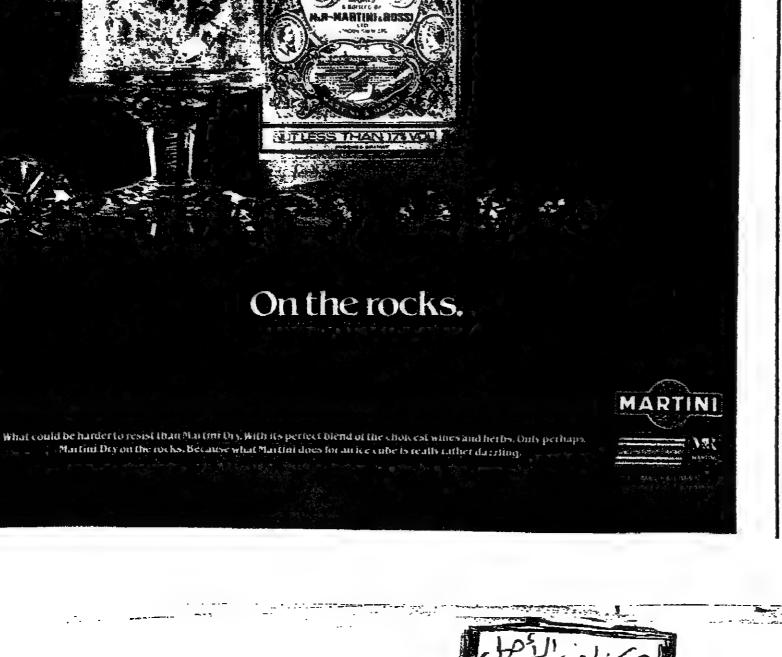
es granted before the change would depend on the terms of the guarantee and the nature of the change.

Turning to the language of the guarantee, his Lordship found there, as did the judge, a contrary provision in clause 18(A), even though there was an envision that though there was no provision that the guarantee should be binding notwithstanding any changes by amaigamation of Cassel or other

wise and continue to operate as though given to the new or amalgamated company.

For those reasons the appeal would be dismissed, Lord Justice O'Connor and Sir Denys Buckley agreed. Solicitors. Stringer. Saul and Justice: Titmuss Sainer & Webb.

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### Staff pledge to Sotheby clients

If they gain control, the

**Insider Bill** 

likely to

be passed

Washington (AP-Dow Jones)

The US Congress appears
willing to pass the Securities
and Exchange Commissions's
Insider Trading Sanctions Bill,
which would give the agency the

authority to assign punitive damages for insider dealing-harron's Financial Weekly says

that the Securities sub-committee of the Senate Banking Committee planned to hold hearings by mid-May. But now, Mr. Neil Levin, the sub-committee's counsel, says that it may wait until the SEC defines insider trading.

insider trading.

The SEC is decidedly unkeen on defining exactly what is and is not insider trading. SEC Commissioner Ms Barbara Thomas insists: "To talk about

definitions is to mix apples and

oranges. We want to deal with

The courts are building up the

But Mr John Shad, a former

E. F. Hutton executive and the

SEC's chairman, has qualms. His biggest fear is "putting a law on the books which busenesses

say has tied them up in knots."

Mr Shad is especially con-cerned about the part of the bill calling for punitive damages not

only for insider traders but also

for those aiding and abetting

definition through case law

Mr Marshall Cogan and Mr Camber, the staff representa-

"We'll all stay to listen to

Stephen Swid, the American tive, said yesterday. No one financiers bidding for Sotheby's, will take any precipitate action. will be permitted from tomorBut it is another matter what the end of the summer season,
row to buy shares and raise decisions people will take in whatever happens. Many of their stake in the firm to 50 per their own minds about the Sotheby's experts have given a medium term personal commitment to clients that they will personally see changed circumstances could what [Mr Cogan and Mr Swid] their property through the affect whether staff will stay or have to say and to fulfil our cataloguing stage and into

leave the company. Mr Richard commutments to our clients. auction. WALL STREET

appointed a non-executive director of W H Smith & Son (Holdings) and of its main operating company, W H Smith

Mr J Beechey, Mr J How, Mr C L Napier and Mr P M W Blake have joined the partner-ship of Clifford-Turner.

Smith, Mr A D Taylor and Mr R H J P Harvey have joined the partnership of Richards, Butler & Company.

Mr C. Gerrard has joined Finch Watson Accrington, a vholly-owned subsidiary of EIS Group and will succeed Mr J. West as managing director on January 1, 1984.

**APPOINTMENTS** 

### **Mobil Oil** names new director

Mr Brian Baker has been appointed a director of Mobil Oil Company with responsibility for planning and supply.

Mr Harding Bassett has joined as director of British Gas international Consultancy Service, with effect from June 1. At present Mr Bassett is director of engineering of West Midlands

Mr S G Barnard, Mr A D Macaniay, Mr D L Gold and Mrs M Mountford have been appointed to Herbert Smith &

Co Partnership.

Mr Andrew Caldecott has joined the board of Whitbread

Lord Craham has joined the board of Guinness Peat Group as a non-executive director.

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Gordon Clark have been appointed to the board of
Matthew Clark & Sons (Holdings) and Mr B N A Hardman ings] and Mr & N A Hardman
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Mr C M McKenzie have been
appointed to the board of
Matthew Clark & Sons.
Mr Stanley H Haneyman,
chief executive of English
Property Corporation, has been
appointed a non-executive dir-

Mr P G Michelmore, Mr R W Billis, Mr M A Mackenzie-

The isolationist slogan challenged in a South African street

### One mile that stands out like a milestone in the race to beat apartheid

### DAVID MILLER

The duel in the sun enacted down a scorching mile of urban asphalt here last Saturday not only encompassed all the facets of sport's greatest controversy -South African exclusion from the international arena - but symbolized its fundamental moral premise, the quality of black and white.

I could have been in Durban for the national marathon championships, where six of the first 10 home were non-white. but it seemed to me that the event in Pretoria more publicly challenged the isolationists' slogan: "No normal sport in an abnormal society." Normal sport unquestionably exists, at least at the more representative levels. The grass roots is an area yet fully to be conquered. The argument for readmission internationally rages on, in France as much as in Britain, the West Indies or New Zealand.

The capital city's centre boiled to a halt for over an hour at midmorning for the Datsunat midmorning for the Datsun-sponsored Street Mile, counter-part of New York's Fifth Avenue Mile, with a multiracial crowd of 50,000 craning their necks all along Church Street, gazing up the long hill to the start, beyond which lie the Coloured townships. Coloured townships.

There might have been twice as many if the mood had not been soured by a Pretoria City Council announcement the day before that 17 of the city's parks were to be barred to non-whites, the segregation enforced "by guards with dogs". I am told that the non-whites, many of

towards a normal, non-racial society, it surprises the foreign visitor that tee white administrator makes so little of those many factors in his favour. The official ceremonial national anthem is recorded by the black police band. So why not have that black band, instead of a white one, on duty at the State Theatre, the finishing line for

Why not, among the invited guests in the grandstand, have some of the black and Coloured urban officials, education and church leaders? As at the Prestige athletics meeting at Stellenbosch, I saw only one Coloured VIP guest. Yet among those guests was Professor Org Marais, who instituted 10 years ago at the University of South Africa the course in business studies for non-whites without the academic qualifications for university. Through his initia-tive 500 nmon-whites have graduated in business administ-ration: be himself physically removed, against the law, the segregation notices on the toilets.

Down at street level on Saturday all was much more West Indies tourists, even if mormal. The 12 runners, they came for the money, including three blacks and one because we identify with them. Coloured, were introduced to a senior Coloured teaching the public in an open-topped motorcade, a car to each man. gliding slowly back down the tion, told me later that day, course to the start, tracked by By midrace Williams had the mixed television crews and fallen back and non-white hopes a jam-packed open truck of mixed cameramen. The multi-racial police – far more so than you will find in Brixton or Moss Side. Manchester – controlled altitude of 5,000 feet his throat the crowds with evident cheer- was as harsh as sandpaper.

have icopardized his acceptance for the Olympics next year and the world championships this year. He jogged over the course in six minutes or so but a decidedly lukewarm reception suggested that he was a less popular visitor by far, returning to his homeland, than the West Indian cricketers. For nonwhite South Africa the real battle must be fought here.

Away in distance we knew the race was on when we saw the flashing police vehicle lights rolling towards us down the hill. preceding the runners. At the quarter mile Freddie Williams, the Coloured Springbok 800 metres champion, was leading, with Johan Fourie and Matthew Temane, the favourites, lying third and fourth. One had observed the true bond of sportsmanshop among these athletes over the past 10 days: when the black Temane moved into the lead after halfway Fourie, at his shoulder, muttered: "I'm still with you."

The non-white spectators were tense. Every time a Coloured sportsman competes for or against South Africa. rogue cricket tour, the pride of blood brotherhood is at stake. \*Of course we welcomed the inspector, who has several white subordinates under his direc-

We could have been in West

scious." He collapsed into the

In Pretoria and Durban,

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also finished second to the

unexpected winner, Kevin Fla-nagan, the integration of white and black had advanced to a

point where the International

Olympic Committee, the Inter-

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Federation, and the inter-national Football Federation.

under their own sporting terms

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The same is true of football. In the afternoon in Johannes-

teams from Soweto. Swallows beating Cosmos 1-0 in the non-racial National Professional Soccer League. A 20,000 crowd. at least a fifth of whom seemed

to have arrived in their own cars, watched a thrilling game involving 12 blacks, three Coloureds, seven whites (in-cluding two Chileans), a white

linesmen. Both of the men with the magic sponge - which was little in evidence - were white.

as was one of the managers.

who was sharply rebuked by a

black linesman for encroaching

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that the non-whites, many of whom must get up at five in the morning to get to work by eight. have a habit of catching up on sleep in the lunch hour just as the graph of the crowds with evident cheer-fulness. But why, with 60 per cent of non-white spectators, have a public address commentary exclusively in Afrikaans?

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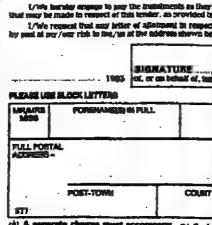
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### May Day of red and angry faces

By Peter Ball The experiment of planning a full Football League fixture list on the May Day bank holiday was not an unqualified success. Four matches were postponed, include the important third division match at Huddersfield, Everton drew the lowest first division crowd in their history. West Bromwich attracted their lowest for 26 years and Hartlepool the smallest in their League

Yet the teams who, on yesterday's form, will by the least willing ever to play on May Day again were the two Cup Finalists, Brighton and Manchester United. Brighton, who had lost the services of their captain for the Cup Final at the beginning of the weekend, wereanchored even more firmly in the relegation zone as they could only draw at Birmingham, who thus moved out of the bottom three on goal difference. Manchester City take their place having played their planned fixture against Notes County on a free Saturday earlier in the season. Luton are still in some

Birmingham City ..... Erighton .....

There is an escapologist for hire as a half-time entertainer at football

matches. Birmingham are unlikely to require his services as they left the bottom three in the division on

coal difference yesterday for the first time this season. They could hardly

have cut it finer.

They made their only significant mark on this match while Brighton were still practising their kick-about routine for Wembley. Handysides tucked the ball away neatly and without fuss with three minutes

cone, "We played up to when we cored, "Then we stopped, Ron haunders, the Birmingham manager

snid.
No one came to this match expecting skill, and so no one was disappointed. Avant-garde experiments with the great Watfordian boot, carried out without Watfordian elan, ended predictably. It was a game in which a place near the halfway line meant leaving the ground with a Wimbledon reckache. The end-to-end oscilations got faster and faster, but

tions got faster and faster, but McEnroe finesse was never in

stamina, Leicester wormed back

determined until be rose from a tackle worriedly clutching his knee.

With his departure a few minutes later the urgency went out of Leicester like the air out of a penny

Leeds took ruthless advantage.
There had been the odd sign that
Butterworth was capable of damag-

ing runs down the right and that Ritchie was also relishing his work.

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the finest of cuts

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Loicester City

Teams groping for promotion tend to be prey to the most terrible columities. Poor Leicester City were a perfect example at Elland Road vesterday. Desperately requiring at the twenty-sixth minute. He turned this men skilfully and sprinted down the middle before feeding Butterworth inevitably on his right. He gave it to Wright, whose shot was going wide before it struck O'Neill and spun into the net.

Leicester's morale at half-time must, undergranderably, have been

half might have ambled into the net them exposed at the back and when

However, with a second-half Ritchie excaped once again, Ramsey puriformance of remarkable arit and stamina. Leicester wormed back shaped to shoot. Gray scored from

and achieved that precious point.

The incident which very nearly scuppered them was that injury to Lincker. They had looked sharp and Lincker. They had looked sharp and form: Wilson's corner and he area.

Hill ready to resign at Coventry

Jimmy Hill, the Coventry chairman and television presenter, may resign his position at the first division club. An official statement will be issued

Mr Hill, aged 55 became the Coventry manager in 1961 and took the club

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

In fact it was a fluent move by Ritchie which led to the first goal in

the penalty spot.

Thus Leicester were left with yet

from Wilson's corner and he very

nearly got a winner, but Harvey saved marvellously at point-blank

LEEDS: D Harney: N Aspin, F Grey, J Sheriden, T Brown, M Dickinson, G Thomass. A Butterworth, A Ritchie, J Donnelly, T Wright, LEICESTER: M Wellington: P Ramsey, B Smith, K MacDonald, T English, J O'Nell, A Peake, G Limiter (sub May), A Smith, G Daty, J William.

danger and Coventry now in serious difficulty.

Manchester United's experiences were even sourer. A match at Highbury, which had begun two under-strength teams erupted during the second half, culminating with the dismissal of Moses and two bookings in the dying seconds. Moses, who was sent off for violent conduct after appearing to butt Nicholas in the face, will begin a two week ban in two week's time, and will thus miss the Cup Final along with Brighton's Foster.

In the first half such an eventful second 45 minutes looked inconceivable. With little at stake and many of the leading characters absent, including Robson (B), Albiston, Stapleton, Coppell, Woodcock, Sunderland and Robson (S), the tenor of the first half was best illustrated by Jennings being forced to leap to turn Sansom's throw-in over the bar and shots by Wilkins and Talbot going out for throws in.
Only the volley by O'Leary which gave
Arsenal the lead and an occasional flash

As the game progressed it seemed that United would be content to see Arsenal, at the fifth attempt this season, take such a narrow victory to provide some scant consolation for their two Cup semi-final disappointments.

Such a view however failed to take in account the presence of Whiteside, who has the ability to start a brawl in a graveyard. His victims as the half went on were McDermott, Petrovic and Sansom, none of whom match his weight, and with McGrath and McGarvey also contributing their mite to the proceedings, an undertone of unpleasantness crept in.

It erupted after Arsenal scored twice in the last ten minutes, Talbot twice converting crosses from McDermott. In the aftermath Wilkins put his stude into O'Leary's chest, escaping with a booking and Moses, who until then had been notably absent from the unpleasentness, launched his attack on Nicholas. Ron Atkinson, the United

from Cunningham interrupting the manager was also ordered from the tedium. was still time for Whyte to join Talbot in the book for a foul on the originator of much of the trouble, Whiteside.

> more serious damage was done. Ironically, the games where tension could have been expected to produce that kind of distasteful scene generally passed off peacefully, although Fulham's Ray Lewington was also sent off at the end of their match with Queen's Park Rangers, their 3-1 defeat seeing Leicester move above them on goal difference. The game of the day came in the second division were Wolverhampton Wanderers, who have been finding goalscoring almost impossible recently,

raced into a 3-0 half-time lead at Charlton. The London club, with the third division looming beneath them, turned the tables thereafter, Smith, White and Hales putting them level and only two excellent saves by Burridge preventing them gaining a mos unlikely victory.

Mercifully, the game ended before

### Maxwell wants scheme to go ahead

By Nicholas Harling

Not that Mr Maxwell was having any apparent misgivings. He said during the half-time interval that he

assembled reporters took it upon themselves to leave the glass-fronted press box so as to be able to soak up the abuse in the vacant stand seats near the directors' box. It was in that same directors' box after the match that the Oxford secretary insisted that Roger Smee, the Reading vice-president, curtail the Reading vice-president, curtail his impromptu press conference. Mr Smee, a Reading property and construction merchant, is one of those opposed to the scheme, essentially because he is trying to gain control of Reading, and, tike Mr Maxwell, has been offered an alternative ground at Smallmead, near the Berkshire town.

The fact that Mr Smee was in excellent, heart undoubtedly had

excellent heart undoubtedly had much to do with the fact that his team had risen three places from the third division relegation zone after surviving their neighbours' relentless first half pressure. Reading were hardly able to leave their own penalty area.

penalty area.

If Mr Maxwell had desired a distraction to the football, it came when Reading's Henderson inadvertently ran into the referee, laying him out. After John Hunting's recovery, Whatmore, with a hooked shot, put Oxford ahead from Brock's corner, only for Jones to divert Dison's cross into his own goal for the 85th minute equalizer. Reading's winner came three goal for he som minute equalizer.
Reading's winner came three
minutes after Smithers (a good
Oxford name) bad upended Williams. Before Dixon converted the penalty, via the outstretched fingers of Hardwick, an Oxford hooligan booted the ball from the spot and eluded a posse of policemen plus the Reading manager, Maurice Evans.

There was obviously no love lost between the protagonists, and nor, presumably, will there be today when Roy Tranter, a Reading director, takes Frank Waller, the club's chairman, to the High Court for alleged misappropriation of his

The cynics will suggest, no doubt, that Robert Maxwell may be doubly eager to merge his Oxford United with Reading after yesterday morning's unexpected result. Better he should amalgamate with his superiors than let their continued existence threaten his own team's architicage.

What Oxford's chairman saw of yesterday's match was minimal. He yesterday's march was minimal. He kept the welcoming committee of television crews and photographers waiting until two minutes after the start for his arrival, and left long before the unexpected finale of three goals in the last 15 minutes.

He believes that the respective

goals in the last 15 minutes.

He believes that the respective sets of supporters are beginning to accept the merger, but on the latest evidence he might be deceiving himself. In spite of the morning kick-off that he had hurriedly arranged to defuse the antagonism, and the subsequent lack of Dutch courage normally induced by alcohol, there was still a pre-match march of some 400 Oxford supporters wielding hanners, and periodic outhursts of derisive chanting aimed in his direction. Yet he was adamant. "I hope people realize I'm not some sort of a dictator trying to urge my will on the fans," he said.

With the Reading contingent

With the Reading contingent matching their Oxford counterparts for obscene advice, even some of the

Amid all the antipathy, it is easy to sympathise with Jim Smith, the Oxford manager. He cannot divulge his views because "if I say I'm not for the merger I'll get the sack, and if I'm for it, it will be bottles." Who

would be a manager, let alone a chairman?
OXFORD UNITED 8 Herdwick D Foogs, T Southers, I Heabard G Stiges, M Shotten, M Jones, M Whittiners, M What need to A Thomass, E Lowerton, K Brock.

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Referred J Hansing (Leicaster).

Wigan Athletic's chairman, Freddy Pye, and their president, Arthur Horrocks, travel to London on Thursday in the hope of saving the club. They are to negotiate with

Reading.

during the half-time interval that he still wanted his scheme to go ahead, although the Labour-controlled Oxford City Council have just offered the club a site for a new £6m sports complex at Botley, on the city's outskirts. Dismissing the proposal as "election promises," Mr Maxwell obviously continues to see more future in Thames Valley United than Oxford United.

What Oxford's chairman saw of

the club. They are to negotiate with Chelsea's chairman, Ken Bates, over his 76,000-share holding and £75,000 bank guarantee he holds in

### Davis administers a potted foretaste of 'purgatory' By Sydney Friskin

His triumph brought to an end the

17-day event, sponsored by Em-

Davis, who had previously wor

Davis, who had previously won the title in 1981, regained a precious crown, adorned with a sparkling break of 131 in the fifth frame of the day, a clearance which drew loud cheers and put him on the threshold of victory. It was his highest break of the tournament, exceeding 103 he made against Alex Higgins in the semi-final round. He became the first player to win the trophy rwice at this venue.

The title went to the most consistent and most technically

consistent and most technically correct of all the players, and one

whose confidence was never shaken.
The pity was that Thorburn was unable to get into the match once Davis had seized the initiative; and the Canadian must have wished that

he could have got out in a more distinguished manner. At least, he forced Davis to win the last frame of

forced Davis to win the last frame of the day on a re-sponed black.

After receiving the trophy, Davis thanked everyone, including his father and mother, and left the scene in a state of deep emotion. He paid a high tribute to Thorburn and said:

"My commiscrations to Cliff. He has had a lot of hard things happening to him and I want to thank him for a great final."

I coloring extremely fatigued after.

Looking extremely fatigued after the match, Thorburn said: "I woke up at noon yesterday feeling that the final was an anti-climax. The best

than was an anti-climax. The cost feeling I had in the match against Steve was when he got to 17. It was a relief to know he only had one frame to win. I know now what

When play ended on Sunday night, with Davis leading 12-5, Thorburn had looked beaten, the strain of the previous nine days

CRICKET

purgatory is all about."

SNOOKER

Steve Davis, aged 25. brought glory to England by regaining the world professional championship at the Crucible Theatre, Sheffield, vesterday. He defeated Cliff Thorburn, of Canada, 18-6 in a final which, contrary to expectation, fell well short of its scheduled distance. His triumph brought to an end the

his concentration had been at its highest. He was on the way 10 winning the first frame with a run on the green, brown and blue. The pink was stationed invitingly at the top of the table, but the crowd grouned in sympathy when it stayed out of the pocket. Davis came in eagerly to take both the pink and the black, and clinch the frame by mere

five points.

Thorburn was in all manner of trouble in the second frame, missing simple reds and keaving favourable positions. Davis went further and further ahead, eventually to scal the frame with a run on the colours up to the blue. Thorburn gained some degree of comfort with a break of 28 early in the third frame, but it was not enough. There were six reds left, and Davis had the engine running again, potting all of them with a combination of colours, and clearing the table up to the pink for a break of 59. five points.

clearing the table up to the pink for a break of 59.

The picture was almost the same in the fourth frame. After Davis had given away four points on a foul stroke, Thorburn looked secure with a break of 37. The fire in his playthough, had been all too briefly rekindled, for, after he had scored another 20, his concentration lapsed again in antempting a straight red at the top of the table. There were just two reds left and Davis once again overhauled him with a break of 43. Back came Davis after the overhauled him with a break of 43. Back came Davis after the interval, needing only two more frames for victory. His mechanism, if that is the right word, was set in motion again and the hall throbbed with excitement as he completed his break of 131. The end was in sight.

8 Oavis (England) best C Thorburn (Canada) 18-6. Frame scores (Davis first: 52-20, 11-112, 63-39, 36-50, 60-34, 65-34, 81-44, 75-28, 82-6, 73-0, 81-48, 41-67, 23-71, 100-8, 15-68, 96-2, 76-47, 58-63, 78-28, 82-47, 67-61, 131-0, 24-82, 77-70.

### Pitch turns quirky

St Johns, Antigua (Reuter) -India, 93 runs behind West Indies on first innings, could conceivably lose the fifth and final Test match which ends here today after yesterday's rest day.

The ball frequently kept low on the third and fourth days and the Indians may become vulnerable to this quirk of the pitch because the Indian fast bowling will not allow them time to readjust their strokes. An added incentive for the hosts as they try for a 20 win in the five. they try for a 3-0 win in the five-match series will be the sagging confidence of at least two Indian middle-order between.

MDIA: First Innings 457 (R J Shastri 102, Kapil Dev 98, D B Vengserier 94, M Americath 54; M D Marchall 4-67). Second Innings

Total (no wid)
M. Amarradh, D. B. Vengaarider, Yashpel
Sharme, R. J. Shasirl, "Kapil Dev, 18 M. H.
Kirmani, S. Mactan Lat, L. Shemanakhishnan and
S. Venkataraghevan to bat.

C H Lloyd, o Yashpal, b Shestri..... H O Marshal, b Versia and Juven

Total (5 wickets) ...

### IN BRIEF Uphill path to victory

Lagos de Enol (Reuter) - Marino Leiarretz, of Spain, recorded his third stage win in the Tour of Spain final uphill sprint. He won the 1171-, mile thirteenth stage from Aguilar de Campo in 5hr 45min 17sec. But his 1min 11sec victory over second-placed Bernard Hinault, was not be still be secondenough to give him the leaders vellow jersey.

Alberto Fernandez stayed in front

for the third consecutive day by finishing third, a further four seconds advist.

POUNTH STAGE: 1, M Lajarress (Sp.), Shr 45min 17ec; 2, 8 Hirault (Fr.), 5:46:28; 3, A Fernandez (Sp.), 6:46:32; 4, J Gorospe (Sp.), 5:46:32; 8, P Nauror (Sp.), 5:46:23; 8, C Machin (Sp.), 5:46:57; OVERALL: 1, A Fernandez (Sp.), 64:41:52; 3, M Lejarreta (Sp.), 64:42:29; 4, 8 Hirault (Fr.), 64:43:36; 5, P Manoz (Sp.), 64:49:11; 5, H Kuiper (Neth), 84:48:28.

BOXING: Edwin Rosario, aged 20, boxing in his home town of San Juan. Puerto Rico won the vacant World Boxing Council (WBC) lightweight championship by defeating Jose Luis Ramirez, of Mexico, or council Ramirez, servitarant con the council Ramirez as an experience. the tempo of the bout with his aggression but was unable to hurt Rosario, although the Puerto Rican's left eye was swollen and almost closed by the end of the 12 round.

GOLF: Greg Norman of Australia, has withdrawn from the French Open championship which starts at La Boulie. near Versaliles, on Thursday, because of a knee injury sustained during the Italian Open

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-256, 2-352, 3-322, 4-324, 5-334, 6-541, 7-547, 8-543, 9-550.

BOWLING: Kapil Dev 22-5-7-1, Medan Lai 35-7-105-3, Surrameditions 25-18-50, Shashida 4-1-1, Veritaliza of beauting the Soviet Union 48-4-5-141-1, Veritaliza of beauting Canada to retain the world title

### TODAY'S FIXTURES

Kick-off 7.30 unless stated First division Ipswich Town v West Ham United Southampton v Tottenham Hotspur Second division Carlele v Cambridge United Shrewsbury Town v Burnley Third division Gillingham v Bradford City Scottish premier division

(11.0 to 5.30 or 6.0) County championship: OLD TRAFFORD: Lancaship / Glamorgan LORD'S Middless / Engl EDGBASTON: Warwichehre / Northampionship

### FOR THE RECORD

BASIKETBALL

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION: Estem conference semi-finals (best of seven): Miwatikee Bucks 107, Boston Cetros 99 (Mawatikee leed the series 3-0): Philadelphia rion series 4-0). Wastem conference semi-finals (Best of seven): Portland Trat Blazars 108. Los Angeles Lakers 95 (Los Angeles lead saries 3-1). VYNDROUPS 2 TOTATIO BESTER 1.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE TOTATO Blue Jays 8, Chicago White Sox 0c Milesaidee Browers 8, Minnesota Teine 4; Cleveland Indians 2, Karasa City Royale 1, Souton Rad Sox 10, California Angels 8; New York Yarkees 8, Teoras Rangers 4; Baltimore Ontoles 8, Seattle Mariners 2, Caldand Affects 8, Detroit Tigers 3 and 2-0. EASTERN DIVISION WESTERN DIVISION California Angels Calidard Alfridica Kansas City Royals Texas Rangers Minnesota Twins Chicago White Scot Seattle Mariners

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VALJEVO (Yugoslavia): European women's
tournament: West Germany 64, Yugoslavia 63;
British 38, Norway 26 (West Germany and
Yugoslavia quality). SAN JUAN (Puerto Ruco): WBC lightweight championatio (12 rounds): Edwin Rosario (Puerto Rico) bt Jose Luis Remirez (Mexoco), pts. PRALLYCROSS

BRITISH CHAMPIONSIBP: Therd round: A finals: Under 1600cc. K Rupp. Over 1800cc; 1, R Gibson (Porsche); 2, J Welch (Escort); 3, K Rupp (Ford Resta).

ri citison (Porsche); 2, J Welch (Escort); 3, K Ripp (Ford Hesta);
SHOOTING

ALMERIA (Spain); European sporting clay pigeon shooting championship, Nabonal learner; 1, GB, 701 (out of 800); 2, France, 684; 3, Spain, 664; 4, Beigum, 652, Individual; 1, M Come (Fr), 181 (out of 200); 2, A J Smith (GB), 180; 3, J Bertaud (Fr), 177 Womer: 1, A hilbyer (GB), 180; 3, J Bertaud (Fr), 177 Womer: 1, A hilbyer (GB), 180; 30, Foster (GB), 156, Veterars; 3, P Maloney (GB), 139, Chab learner; 1, Britain, 498 (out of 800); 2, GB, 495; 3, GB, 475; 1141; 4, Marchael (Larkestershire); English grand pitk (Linkesse tranch); 1, Bortey (Burton-on-Trent), 193 (cast of 200); 2, J Groß (Burton-on-Trent), 193 (cast of 200); 2, J Groß (Burton-on-Trent), 191 (after shoot-off); Womer: Mrs Barbara Lynch (Kenf, 152, Juniors: M Ideo (Lancashire), 167. Veterans: M Paeckmeyer (Hertfordshire).



Rangers' second goal and Sealy, the scorer, cannot conceal his delight.

### Fulham ballroom dancers slip on Rangers' polished floor

By Stnart Jones, Football Correspondent

and spin into the net.

Leicester's morale at half-time must, understanderably, have been and take third place in the second division, they were bedevilled by more problems than the Labour Farty.

O'Neill scored an own goal: Ramsey gave away a penalty; their rading scorer, Lineker, limped off mjured; and his fellow striker, Smith, missed a chance of such comprehensive simplicity that the division championship yesterday afternoon. Fulham, as well as losing Lewington who was sent off in the final minute, dropped out of the promotion placings for the first time since November. There could have been no greater contrast in their respective displays at Loftus Road.

The difference in the two precise lob put Sealy galloping through and he brighed saids the ambitious sides, the one confident and the other tentative, was never more marked than in the opening 20

the artificial surface on Sunday afternoon, Fulham looked like a aroup of inexperienced ballroom dancers wearing slippers and performing on a highly polished roblems that their own green carpet presents, were sure of foot and mind, irresistibly so in the fifth minute. With touches as light as feather dusters, first Sealy and then Stainrod delicately prized open a path for Gregory running clear

England's manager seated among

precise lob put Sealy galloping through and he brushed aside the ferble challenge of Lock ("he looked as though he was playing on ice", Malcolm Macdonald, his manager, commented) before claiming his fifteenth league goal as well.

Fenwick added a third for Rangers shortly after the interval, a close-range header that was reminiscent of his equalizer against Tottenham Hotspur in last year's FA Cup Final. The opportunity, this time printers again form a conservation of the conservat time originating from a corner, was given to him by Hazell's flick at the

near post.

But for Fianagan's remarkable profigacy - he scorned at least four clear chances - Fulham's eventual recovery would have been no more netween both covering full backs than academic, yet after Davies had and beat Peyton with impressive taken advantage of Wick's misdiassurance. No wonder, it was his rected header in the seventieth fifteenth league goal so far, a minute they began to threaten remarkable total for a midfield player and one that may wall contains the seventieth player and one that may be seventieth the seventieth player and one that may be seventieth the seventieth player and one that may be seventieth the seventieth player and one that may be seventieth the seventieth player and the seventieth player an remarkation to a minimum player and one that may well attract back through a voiley from their back through a voiley from their

rejected by a referee who earlier booked Wilson for dissent and later dismissed Lewington for deliberate-ly felling Stainrod. Fulham's fate, like fast season, will probably hang on the outcome of their final fixture, at Derby. Macdonald feels that they must win then as well as their remaining home game againt Carlisle United on Saturday. As he pointed out, his side are at least back to grass. And

a suspicious use of his left arm. Vehement claims for a penalty were

Out to grass as well? Queen's Park Rangers: Phieder; While, I Dewis, G Waddock, R Hazal, T Fernick, S Wicks, A Seely, S Spainrod, M Planegan, J Gregory. FILLHABLE & Psylon; P Perlon; K Lock (aub J Regres), S O'Drigool, R Brown, A Gale, G Dzylos, R Wilson, D Cowey, R Houghton, R ewington. teleres: III Hiti (Kattering).

Best absent again George Best was again missing from Bournemouth's side for the

home game against Doncaster yesterday. He missed the match at Bradford on Saturday after reporting that he had a chill. The ing that he had a chill. The Bournemeouth manager, Don Megson, said Best would only have been substitute and if he turned up for training, he would be considered

### to the third and second division championships. He left the club after taking them into the first division in 1967, but returned as managing director in 1975 and became chairman in 1980. Yesterday, he said: "There may be some restructuring, but there are various alternatives". Now it is thought likely that a business executive, I ain Jamieson, who is a former Coventry player, will replace Mr Hill as chairman. But Jamie seterday refused to comment on the situation.

Fourth division

First division ARSENAL (1) 3 MAN UTD O'Leary, Tabot 2 23,602 BRIMINGHAM (1) 1 BRIGHTON (2) 2 HEREPORD (1) 1 Harvey (peri) 1,853 (1) 2 DARLINGTON (2) 1 of 2 23,602 (1) 1 BRIGHTON BRISTOL C (D) 0 Crawford, Philipson- Todd, Kameru Masters 4,788 4,788 (D) 0 HARTLEPOOL (D) 1 COLCHESTER (1) 4 (D) 1 COVENTRY (D) D STOKE NOTTH FOREST (0) 1 LIVERPOOL Devemport 25,107 SUNDERLAND (2) 2 WATFORD WIMBLEDON (1) 4 CHESTER Cork 3, Smith 2,576 (0) 0 PORT VALE (1) 2 LECESTER (0) 2

(0) 1 SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Premier division:
1,842 Addiestone and Weytridge 1, Corby 1;
Cheinstord 1, Enderby 0; Dertord 1,
Stouthodge 0; Hestings 0, Gravesend and
Northfleet 0: Poole 1, Gosport 1; Watertooville
0, Weiling 2; Witney 1, AP Learnington 2,
Middend divisions Cheinenham 2, Forest Green
0, Southern divisions Basingstola 2, Erith and
Behedere 0; PS Southempton 6, Thanss 0;
Salesbury 2, Cambridge City 0, Woodford 1,
Apoyer 0. Smith, N 14,442 (2) 3 FULHAM BOURNEMOUTH (1) 2 DONCASTER (0) 2 9,112 NEWPORT 5,515 Neal, White (pen). Bremner OXFORD (0) 1 Jones (pg). Dixpri Tring 3.

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FOOTBA ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Barrow 1.
Dagenham 2: Boaten United 2: Funcom 4:
Weimouth 4: Worcester 2:
NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Morecambe
2: Oweestry 2: Witton 2: Mattock 0: President's
Cupt Finel, second leg: King's Lynn 0, Burron

### Bilbao reign in Spain again

bottom club, needing only a draw to win their twenty-first champion-ship, but they lost 1-0. Bilbao, formed in 1898, won 5-1 in Las Palmas for their first title since club from the Basque region has won the championship in the closing stages. Real Sociedad, of San Sebastian, were the previous

In The Netherlands, Ajax have as matches to play.

AUSTRIA: Linz Ask 0. Surm Graz 0; Graz AK 0. Wiener Sport kitab 0; Repid 5, Austria Salzburg 2; SC Elsenstadt 0. Austria Vienna 1; SC Sammering 0. Austria Kagendurt 1; Union Wels 1, Vosst Linz 1; SW Instruck 3, SC Neuslad 0; Vienna 1, Admar Wacker 0. BELGRAPE Beerschot 1, RWD Molebeek 1; Tongers 0, CS Bruges 0; FC Bruges 3, FC Liege 1; Andersecht 2, Antwerp 1; Serang 3, Beveren 1; Waterschel 3, Kortrik 1; Lokeren 1, Lierse 2; Waregem 1, Ghent 2; Standard Liege 3, Winderstang 0.
BULGARRA: Chernomorets Bourges 3, Spartak, Plevan 2; Haskovo 2, Elst Tarnovo 0; Lokomothr Schia 0, JSK Spertak 0; Borger Vratze 2, CSKA Softa 3; Siven 2, Prin 1; Robows Doffina 2, Belastisa 0; Lievski Spartak 3, Tchemo Morá 2; Trakia Plondiv 2, Slavia Softa 0.

DEMAARK: Frem. listst 1; Broenshoe; 0, J. Toherro Mora 2, Trakia Plondiv 2, Slavia Sofia 0, B. 1903 Copenhagen 9, Broenday 3, Kolding 1; Vele 2, Hvidovre 6: Esbjerg 0, 9.53 C. Lyngby 6, Aprilus 5; Kogs 1, Odense 2, Herrung 3, Naashwad 1, EAST GERMANY: Wisnut Aue 1, Dynamo Berlin 3, Chenne Halle 6, Chemie Boffien 0; Magdeburg 2, Karl-Marz-Stat 0; Rot-Welss 5; Efurt 3, Vorwärs Frankfurt 2, Dynamo Dresden 3, Gerl Zeles Jens 2, Lokomotiv Lelozig 5, Sachsening Zwickau 2; Union Berlin 0, Hanna Rostock 0, FRANCE: Nestes 2, Tours 1; Bordeaux 3, Sochaux 1; Pare Sart-Germain 4, Lille 1, Monaco 1, Austerfe 1; Lans 4, Sart-Eberne 2, Lyons 2, Laval 0; Nancy 2, Rouen 0; Brest 2, Toulouse 2, Multicuse 3, Metz 4; Bastia 1, Strasbourg 1.

conceded; Feyenoord have a goal difference of plus 30. For the Rotterdam club to overtake Ajax they need to win their remaining matches by impossible league about the Juventus supscores, and even then Ajax would porters who threw stones at their

have to lose both their matches. In East Germany Dynamo Berlin their substitute, had his face cut won their fifth league title by defeating Wismut Aue 3-1 away. That gave them a 10-point lead over Carl Zeiss Jena with only four automatically bound the champions. tatches to play.

An equalizer 14 minutes from Olympic Stadium

GREECE: Yannina 1, Olympiekos 1; AEK 1, PAOK 3, Apollon 1, Aris 1; Panlonios 0, Pansarakos 0; Larissa 2, Rhodos 0; Pansarakos 0; Larissa 2, Rhodos 0; Pansarakos 3, Kastoria 0; Iradia 4, OFI 1, Panachallo 3, Doza 2; Etirikos 3, Makedonikos 0, Tonno 0; Cesena 2, Verona 2; Juvertus 3, Inter Milan 3; Napol 1, Florentina 0; Pisa 0, Genoa 0; Floma 2, Avestino 0; Samptona 1, Gaglieri 1; Undinese 2, Catanzaro 0, McTHERLANDS: Go Ahead Engles 3, Helmond 0; NAC Breath 2 William II 2; Pisy Endinesia 0, Netherla Alabos: Go Ahead Engles 3, Helmond 0; NAC Breath 2; William II 2; Pisy Endinesia 0; Pisca 0; Pisca 2; North 2; Repartor 3, Fortuna Stater 1; Ajex 3, Feyencor 3; Encelsier 1, AZ 67 4; Sparta 2, Ropa 2, Helmond 3, Kongsyinger 3; Start 2, Moss 2; Vibring 0, Vazierengen 0; Port Tugiki: There were no first division matches over the weekend. PORTUGAL: There were no first division matches over the weekend.
ROMANIA: Arges Plassi 2, Tragoviste 0: Oit 2, Steaua Bucharest 1; Polizahnica lasi 0, Tirgo Mures 1; Dynamo Bucharest 1; Juli Potrogani 0: Secau 0, Corvinul Humedoare 0; Bresov 1, Sportul Studentesc 1; Orades 1, Politatentica 1: muscare 1; Constanta 0, Chimia Romnica 1: Patrolul Ploesti 0, Universitate Cratova 1. YUGOSI-AVIA: Galentes Zemura 2, Celjek 1; Radnicid Nis 1. Hajduk Soit 1; Olimpia Lubilana 3, Buthurost 2; Stotote Tuzie 2, Dynamo Zagrab 0; Zeljeznicar Sansjevo 0, Red Star Belgrade 1; Vorsofina Novi Sed 2, Sansjevo 1; Varder Stopja 1, Rijeka 0

Paris (AFP) – Athletic Bilbao, Spain's oldest football club, won the league title by overtaking Real Madrid on the last day of the Real travelled to Valencia, the Real travelled to Valencia, the Conceded Evergence that a goals more than they have a goal of the second of goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have a goal of the goals more than they have goal of the goals Inter, who drew 3-3 away to

coach before the match. Marini, their substitute, had his face cut by flying glass and missed the match. If the league award Inter the match, as they could, then Roma would

SPAIN: Las Palmas 1, Athletic Bibao 5 Ossaura 1, Sercetona 0: Valencia 1, Ras Madrid D: Vallastielig 3, Cafta Vigo 1: Seville 2 Real Betts 0: Real Zarragoza 3, Salamanca 2 Attribaco Madrid 3, Radrig 1: Esceñol 3 Sporting Gijon 2; Real Sociedad 2, Mátaga 0. SWITZERLAND: Aara: 2. Young Boys 0; Belinzona 1. Wettinger 0; Grasshoppers 3, Lausanne 0; Neuchatel Xanax 1, Son 2; St Gallan 4. Lucarus 1; Servetta 2, Bulla 0; Vevey 0, Zusich 1; Winterdur 1, Sasle 1. U. Zurich I; Winsernus I; State I.

TURKEY: Adahaspor 0. Fenerbahoe 0; Ankaragiloß 2, Kocselepor 0; Galaitassaray 5, Salaryaspor 1; Trabzonspor 5, Sansurespor 1; Sarlyer 1. Adama Dendrapor 1; Bursaspor 0, Alay 0; Zongudekspor 2, Mersis 1; Antalyaspor 2, Seeklas 0, WEST GERMANY: VFL Leverbusen 0, Cologne 0; Bayer Leverbusen 3, Schelke 04 1; Entracht Frankfurt 2, Kassonlasten 2; Fortuna Dietaeldorf 2, Werder Brenne 5; Hamburg 2, VFB Santigert 0; Entracht Brusswick 0, Sortussa Michangalasch 0; Bayer Mausich 4, Nertha Berlin 0; Arminia Bielefald 1, Sortussia Dortmand 0; Karisruthe 2, Nuramberg 1. 1. SOVIET URGON: Shakhtyor Donetsk 3, Arast Sresan C. Dynamo Minck 2, Mehillet Kharkov C. Deger Desuropatrovsk 0, Toepedo Kutaski C. Chemomorets Odessa 2, Neithin Baku C. Dynamo Moscow 1, Zent Luriegzad 2: Spurisk Moscow 1, Pakhtakor Tashkani C. Nistru Kahlev 1, Dynamo Tollet C; Zhalgiris Vilnius C, Dynamo Klev 0.

### Roker full of regrets

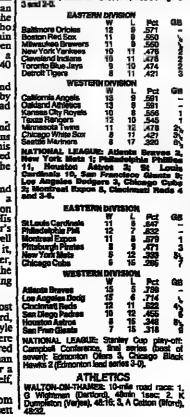
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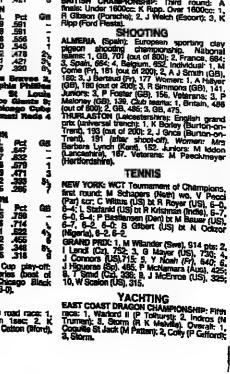
Watford ..... "You'll murder this lot", the man with the Wearside accent said to the handful of Watford supporters who had driven through non-stop rain and drizzle to huddle on open terracing at Roker Park in a temperature scarcely touching 40 legrees.

Blissett was both praised and damned. The praise he earned by making space where none had existed to knock in a cross From the second of two successive corners, Atkins struck a pass from James and his high angled shot, although touched by Sherwood, hit the inside of the

players slithering as though on a curling rink James controlled it on the edge of the penalty area. His shot, low and to the goalkeeper's right, had pace, but was well covered, but, instead of holding it, or even pushing it wide for a corner, Sherwood only partially stopped the ball which rolled with tantalising tortoise pace across the line.

A second half of almost continuous pressure from Watford, including a Vicarage Road-style charge which was wasted when there were six yellow jerseys to three red and white ones, and Callaghan chose to shoot from 35 yards for a reason known only to himself, brought just one more goal. In the last minute, a corner from Callaghan was headed in by Blissett





EQUESTRIANISM: TOWERLANDS ANGLEZARKE REVELS IN THE WIDE OPEN SPACES

### Pyrah produces world-class ride against the clock

jump-off against the clock, Malcolm Pyrah, riding Tom Hunnable's Towerlands Anglezarke, took the £6,000 first prize in the Kerrygold Cup at which has made him a world Hickstead yesterday. It was the silver medal winner. Towerbiggest competition of the three-lands Anglezarke set off at a fine day Kerrygold International pace, revelling in the good meeting and fittingly produced galloping course after a winter

Only six riders out of 40 starters achieved a faultless first round, much of the trouble occurring at the last fence, a big double. The upright fence after the water also took its toll, with reders failing to get their horses under control after galloping on

Of the six in the first jump-off, Jeff McVean, of Australia, on Huskvana, and Pam Dunning, of Britain, on Griffin And Brand's Fearless - a winner here on Sunday - both had four faults. David Broome, on Harris Carpets' Mr Ross had the first and second fence down, leaving three to go into the timed jump-off Maureen Hol-den on Renault Trucks' Mister Vee, Harvey Smith on Sanyo Technology, and Pyrah.

Mrs Holden was the first to go on the home-bred Mister Vee, who is now 16 but looking 45.4sec. Smith went one better eye out for likely combinations on Sanyo Technology: riding for both the European chamwith his usual skill against the pionships and the 1984 Los Paul Darragh, of Ireland, on P J

After an exciting three-horse clock, he cut all the corners to finish in 43.5sec. Smith's round looked a

winning one, but Pyrah then produced the kind of riding spent jumping indoors. He gave Pyrah the winning round he had hoped for, finishing in 42.7secs. Pyrah said afterwards that

Towerlands Anglezarke is a horse who likes to gallop on and is well suited to Hickstead's wide open spaces. The horse returned from finishing fifth in the World Cup, in Vienna, only last Wednesday, and, although
Pyrah had him out at Hickstead
on Saturday, he gave him a
complete rest on Sunday,
hoping that the heavy going
would improve by yesterday. In the event, the going was worse after overnight rain. Pyrah felt it put at least six inches on each

Providing Towerlands Angle-zarke remains fit and well, he and Pyrah, last year's biggest money winners, look assured of



No head for heights: Anton Ebden on Jumbo Design.

Angeles Olympics. Britain have eight or so good amateur riders who are in the running for the a place in the team for the who are in the running for the European championships at Olympics: the problem is Hickstead in July.

Ronnie Massarella, the chef them. mr Massarella said and going as well as ever. They d'équipe of the British team, vesterday he would need £1m had a fluent clear round in was at Hickstead keeping his for Britain to win gold medals

third set when he field a 3-0 lead, then dropped six straight games. That was the spectacular let-off for McEnroe who took the tie-breaker

Vilas and Johan Krick.

victory at this meeting and Ireland's fourth when he won the Kerrygold Fault and Out, narrowly beating Kelly Brown on Mrs Brown's Springlike OII MIS DITWIN 3 SPI INGENER.
THE KERRYGOLD CUP: 1, Towerlands
Angiazarko (M Pyrah), 0 fasila, 42.7sec; 2,
Banyo Technology (H Smith), 0, 48.5; 3, Mister
Vee (M Holden), 0, 45.4.
THE KERRYGOLD FAULT AND OUT: 1, P J
Carrod (P Darragh, Irs): 2, Springilee (K
Brown); 3, Just Magnum (R Fernythough). Oaks after her victory in the Pretty Polly Stakes at Newmarket last Friday will run next in the Lupe Stakes at Goodwood on May 19. Her trainer, Jeremy Tree, said yesterday that as far as the Epsom classic was concerned the timing of the Goodwood race was absolutely right for Jolly Bay. Furthermore Goodwood with its bends and undulations will give her priceless experience before Epsom.

Yesterday the representative of

### McEnroe wins title for third time in classic encounter

World Championship Tennis (WCT) may have its problems with the struggle for control of lawn tennis, but it has a habit of producing classic matches. John McEnroe's 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-7, 7-6 win over Ivan Lendl, the defending champion, was no exception. It gave him the title for a record third time, it was allve for the whole four hours and eleven misutes, and the scores

it was alive for the whole four hours and eleven minutes, and the scores show only too well how it could have gone either way.

The pity is that it ended on a sour take. Lendl, apset by the control of the gattle, complained: "Umpires are intimidated by him. He gets preferential treatment. I have never them. seen anyone argue so much, throw sickets and hit balls over the piace, yet get only one warning. I couldn't celleve it when he threw his racket

rode of conduct so many times that had the rule been firmly applied he would have been near de Marc Cox, the English umpire

who was in the chair, adopted the attitude that only if there was a danger to anyone would be take

action.

The feeling is growing among players that McEnroe gets special treatment because of who he is, but Cox denied this. "I treated both with equality", he said.

Lendl would not agree with that, but in a close match like this when is a close match like this when its property and the beauty in these is

players get so keyed up there is concentration to bound to be frustration.

The match was full of magnificent championship.

first service consistently

SQUASH

**Barrington bows** 

out with a win

Calgary (AP) - Jonah Barrington, the six-times world champion

ended his career in open squash with a hard-fought victory over Howard Broun, of New Zealand, in the final of the Canadian Open championship, Barrington, aged 42, said after his 3-9, 9-6, 9-3, 10-8 win

that he was retiring from open competition. He said the pressure of

the Canadian Open, which had previously been an event for

amateurs only, was too much for

The women's title was won by Joyce Maycock, of England, who beat Beryl Paton, of Australia, 9-2,

ICE HOCKEY

him at his age.

Miss Shriver passes \$1m

Atlanta (Reuter) - Pam Shriver won her first tournament for 17 months when she beat Kathy Jordan 6-2, 6-0 in the final of the Atlanta women's event. She also reached another personal milestone

event. She also reached another personal intrestore, her \$28,000 winner's prize taking her over the \$1m in career earnings.

Miss Jordan, the No 6 seed, who earned \$14,000 as

runner-up won only one service game in the 55-minut match. "I've not have the best of luck in the past year, Miss Shriver said afterwards. "T've finished second a few times but I just haven't been able to win one. But

this time everything seemed to go right for me."

Aliss Jordan was all at sea from the start, missing her



winners and some fine lobbing by Lendi, who biames a weakness on his service for his defeat. He produced only four aces to the 18 by McEnroe. He explained this was due 10 playing indoors after his recent concentration on clay as he prepares to challenge for the French

MOD. PENTATHLON

Sowerby leads

way for Britain

Fifth place for the British team in the Darmstadt international was

more of an achievement than it might appear, the contest being the

toughest so far this season Michael Coleman writes.

FINAL POSITIONS: Individual: 1, 1 Schwarz (USSR), 5,397 pts. 2, L Fabian (Hurt), 5381; 3, T Szombethely (Hurt), 5365; 4, S Torneshow (Hurt), 5346; 5, J Pyctels-Pecials (Pol), 5,337; 6, G Fajor (Hurt), 5312. British placings. 8, Ausmford 5278, 17, Pholos, 5145; 37, Sowerby 4889; 49, Haddon 4719.

McEnroe: finding true

CHURCIA: Women's Italian open chemplor to, first round: 8 Roses (II) bit V Nesion (US 5, 6-1; V Wade (GS) bit R Uys (SA), 4-8, 7-8; L Sandin (Swe) bit C Jesoff (Swe), 6-8, 7-6; K Horveth (US) bit C Tarvier (Fr), 6-3; Issais (US) bit P Mactrado (Sc), 7-6, 1-8, 6-3; Issais (US) bit P Mactrado (Sc), 7-6, 1-8, 6-3; Issais (US) bit P Mactrado (Sc), 7-6, 1-8, 6-4, 4-6, 5-2; B Bramblett (US) bit J Munde A, 6-2, 6-2; A Mister (Aus) bit M Stouherski (J, 6-1, 6-2, M Jausovec (Yug) bit B Bowe S, 7-6, 8-2; F Kittich (US) bit J mianov (Romi, 9-4, 7-8; K Stronsida (Cz) bit mianov (Romi, 9-4, 7-8; K Stronsida (Cz) bit Hobbs (SS), 7-6, 8-2; R Regol (R) bit form TAMPA (Floridat; Grand Prix tournament; Final J Kriek b) R Lutz, 6-2, 8-4. ATLANTA: Finat: P Shriver bt K Jordan, 6-2, 6-0.

Kriek overpowers Lutz

Tampa, Florida (Renter) – Johan Kriek, the top seed, defeated Bob Lutz 6-2, 6-4, in the final of the \$75,000 men's grand prix tournament here. Kriek, dominating the match with his powerful service, needed only 57 minutes to earn the winner's purse of \$15,000. Lutz received \$7,500 as runner-up.

In nine service games Kriek yielded just 10 points, five in each set. He served 10 aces, including the final two points of the match. "I changed rackets for this match because the one I was using in the semi-finals wasu't right for me", Kriek said. "I felt a little off-

balance and pressured in the semis. Today, I felt in control all the way."

SHOOTING

Army man is the

top marksman

Second Lieutenant Nick Crass shaw, aged 19, of the 1st Battalion Royal Anglian Regiment, won the Army Target Rifle Club open

championship at Bisley yesterday. He beat a former winner, the Commonwealth Games marksman,

light Lieutenant David Calvert, o

Crawshaw, the former shooting

captain at Uppingham School scored 292 out of a possible 300

luring the three-day meeting.

the RAF, by two points.

BADMINTON

### English pair go through

about it until the world champion ships are over.

MADED DOUBLES: First rous T Whiteles (NZ) bt D Travers and P Hamilton (Scot), 18-15, 18-17; M Tradgett and K Chapman (Eng) bt S Nyamorl and K Jines (Japen), 15-9, 15-5; D Tallor and G Clark (Eng) bt G Valdez (Peru) and K Kistjanedottir (Jos), 15-3, 15-3; K Larsdan and G Esulten (Den) bt LY Chong and L Blabe (Welsel, 18-3, 18-5. 15-3, 15-3; K Lersden and G Paulsen (Den) LY Chone and L Blake (Nislae), 15-3, 15-5. WOMEN'S STATE AND STATE OF THE COUNTY OF STATE (Eng) by E Lestif (Ind), 5-11, 12-10, 11-3; Podger (Eng) beat K Van Der Valk (Neth), 11-11-10.

Tree added that he would not hesitate to advise Jolly Bay's owner and breeder, James Morrison, not to go to Epsom if he thought that a hard race there so relatively early in her career - she did not run at all as a two year old - could be her undoing in the long run. The obvious alternative would be the Ribblesdale Stakes at Royal Ascot followed by a crack at the Irish Oaks, which Jolly Bay's dam Juliette Marny, won.

Like all of us, Tree is aghast at the Like all of us, Tree is aghast at the weather and the damage it is doing, not just to the overall pattern of racing this spring but also to individual horses as well as the

Open that she best another Indonesian, Wiharjo Verswaty, the reigning world champion. It was perhaps surprising too that Mrs Podger should be so ebuildently effective because last year a back injury almost crippled her and as recently as February she had a pelvic bone pushed back into place. Mrs Podger thought that she would not play again, but manages to survive through yoga and a sense of humour. She made up her face with purple and white and grey before this match to persuade the

Hwang's victim in that final, was Lene Köppen, the Danish dentist who was world champion in 1977 and who yesterday as usual held court to a large and admiring audience. She best Claire Backhouse, the Canadian who six weeks have had bested another Danish ago had beaten another Dane, Kirsten Larsen, who was seeded in the All-England championships.

**MOTOR CYCLING** 

### Haslam unbeatable as Britons rout Americans

By Adrianne Blue Ron Haslam had been tipped by the American capiain, Kenny Roberts, as the Briton to beat, but he was unbeatable at Brands Hatch vesterday as he had been at Snetterton on Sunday. He led an under-strength British team to a 47point victory over the Americans in the Marlboro Transatlantic Trophy. Haslam, aged 26, a four-stroke specialist who has made a brilliant transition to two-stroke in his first fully-fledged grand prix season, won both 13-lap, 33.43-mile races at Brands. The British team continued to pack well as Barry Sheene, their

captain, had predicted. Roger Marshall, on the second Honda, won both Outton Park races, was points.

The first race was Haslam's by a comfortable 17.6sec margin, but it had been quite a race. The first race had been quite a race. The first race leader. Marshall, and mid-race, at the leader. Marshall, the long-legged Lincolnshire man who was last year's Transatlantic spoiler, kept the Honda power and the former world was also a British one-two. Roberts, the initial leader, was overaken at Brabham Straight by the end of the first lap by Haslam, was on Marshall's back wheel and then, accelerating astutely he was also a British one-two. Roberts, the initial leader, was overaken at Brabham Straight by the end of the first lap by Haslam, was on Marshall's back wheel and then, accelerating astutely he was also a British one-two. Roberts, the initial leader, was overaken at Brabham Straight by the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was on Marshall's back wheel and then, accelerating astutely he was also a British one-two. Roberts, the initial leader, was overaken at Brabham Straight by the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the first lap by Haslam, was out of the end of the en

champion, Roberts, behind him, with Haslam third for three laps. The track was wet and slippery, but Haslam, mounted on the threecylinder Grand Prix 500cc Honda egan to close on Roberts, who was finding the brawny big bore 680cc Yamaha hard to manoeuvre. Snetterion on Sunday, Sheene was Haslam passed Roberts and began pipped for fourth on the final to leave him behind, but he was still 29sec behind the leader, and not yet

By now Sheene was beginning to threaten Roberts's third place, although Sheene was at a disadvantage being mounted on the underpowered Heron Suzuki. Randy Mamoka, the American who had won both Outro Park races, was closing as Shann

clinging to second place and Roberts, Mamola and Sheene bouching at Brabham Straight. Sheeene passed Mamola spec-tacularly inside at Druids, only to be passed himself by Mamola, who finished third. In a repeat of

straight by Roberts's young team-

mate, Eddie Lawson, on the other Haslam, the winner, had the honour of the fastest iap, Imin 52.4sec (83.71 mph) and a final time of 24min 50 sec (82.08 mph). Britain had increased their 28-points lead to an unassailable 40

Marshall's engine seized Haslam's ume was 24min 11.6se (83.65 mph), with Wood well behind, finishing in 24min 37.6sec (82.79 mph). Again Haslam had the fastest lap, 1 min 49.7sec (85.77

The final score, 245-198 gave Britain a comfortable victory.

Marris 2-4987. [13 lane, 33.93 miles]: 1, Hestern, 24min 21.6sec; 2, G Wood (GE), 24-37-3; 3, Marrish, 24-50; 8, Hestern, 24-57; 6, Lawson 24-577; 6, M Salle (GE) 24-54.7; Fastest lang Hastan 1-57. OVERALL Britain 245, United States 245.

experience before Epsom.
Yesterday the representative of the Williwm Hill organization reported that Jolly Bay had come in for further heavy support with his firm and that ahe was now their clear favourite for the Oaks at 8-1. Confronted with that news Tree simply shrugged his shoulders and reiterated that anyone who backed Jolly Bay so far in advance did so at their own risk. "She is a big backward filly and desperately in need of experience, hence the reason we aregoing to Goodwood". Tree Sally Podger, the England No. 1, and Karen Beckman, the English national champion, reached the second round of the world championships with performances as different as their colourfully sensational manner when he recled off seven straight points.

The match ended on a controversial shot which, it is claimed, came between the net and sideposts. Cox ruled it was correct because the ball had come clean through without touching the side.

McEnroe is rapidly finding the form that raised him to world champion in 1981, and he and Lendl now appear to be pulling out in front on their own. The whole match can be repeated in New York next Sunday when both are playing in the Tournament of Champions, starting today.

Although they stand out as the top seeds there are other top players such as Vitas Gerulaitis, Guillermo Viles and Karen Beckman, the English national champion, reached the second round of the world championships with performances as different as their colourfully contrasting styles in the Brondby the second round of the world championships with performances as different as their colourfully contrasting styles in the Brondby the second round of the world championships with performances as different as their colourfully contrasting styles in the Brondby the contr

woman, Karin van der Valk, I 1-4, 11-0 with no semblance of qualms, It was surprising that the national champion should perform so moderately because it was on the same court last year in the Danish

with purple and white and grey before this match to persuade the England manager, Ciro Ciniglio that she was unfit. "It worked too. He was ready to cart me off to hospital," she laughed. Mrs Podger now plays the youthful Swede, Maria Bengisson, but justifying her No 5 seeding may prove difficult because she has in her section the tournament's most dangerous floatournament's most dangerous floa-ter, Sunai Hwang, the South Korean who was the 1981 All-England

Miss Koppen was so daintily ruthless that she allowed her opponent a mere two points in front of her home crowd in what is being billed as the last tournament of her

famous career.

That billing, however, is increasingly a matter for debate. Rumours abound that the former world champion might continue and she does nothing to stop them by saying simply she does not want to think about it until the world champion.

### RESULTS: Open championship – 1, N. Crawshaw (Royal Anglan), 232; 2, D. P. Calvert (RAF), 290; 3, J. R. Deane (Oxford/Cembridge RA) 289. (Corord/Campridge RA) 289. 900 and 1,000 yards: 1, Deane, 95; 2, A. N. Robinson (North London RC), 94; 3, C. W. A. Curmingham (Old Bradifichians), 93. 900, 1,000 and 1,100 yards: 1, A. Mabon (West Scotland), 200; 2, T. Rylands (Bromsgrove), 195; 3, T. Paterson (ATRC), 199.

TOTE: Wir: 22.10. DF: 24.80. CSF: £4.77. W O'Gorman at Newmarket. 1, 21. Turcy Boy (20-1) 4th. 4 ran. 1m 10.4788c. 2.30 (2.32) SAXON HOUSE HANDICUP (22,198: 1m 2i)

TOTE: Wirt. 24.50. Pinces: 170. 51.90. 23.20. DF: £16.00. CSF: £27.10. TRICAST: £246.13. P Mesich at Mariborough, nt. 44. Betty Knows (11-4 tay) 4n. 10 ran. 2m 27.35sec. NR: We'll Mesi Again, Dimbri.

LYPHRAP b f by Lyphent - Smooth (K Abdula) 8-10 PEdday (13-8 fav) Je TAlme R Cochrane (11-4) Legendary Green Weldron (20-1) TOTE: Wir: £1.90, Places: £1.50, £1.10, £3.30, DF: £2.20, ČSF: £6.57, J Tree at Beckhampton, 5l.3l, Heh Clipper (10-1) 4th, 11 pm, 1m 27.25sec.

3.30 (3.33) JUBILEE HANDICAP 211,054: TOTE: Wir: £11.50. Places: £2.40, £3.40, £2.20. DP. £50.10. CSF: £70.27. Tricast: £316.30. J Dunlop et Arundal. 2, 3, Mighey Fly (10-1) 4th. 12 ran. 1m 55.58ate.

3.15 (3.18) SPORTING CHRONICLE SPRING HANDICAP (29,274: 1m 2f 50yd) STAR OF BRELANDScby Balligerength Pinkt 8-11.1 

## Robert Sangster: "Plans still fluid"

RACING

Sangster may have

found himself

another Nijinsky

Lomond, the 2,000 Guineas Derby with their selected is rinner, should not yet be ruled certainly a step in the right ut of calculations when it direction. After all O'Brien

Tree repeats Oaks

warning to backers

himself is not yet in a position to tell us whether Lomond,

Salford, Caerleon or Salmon

Leap will be attempting to give the stable an incredible seventh

triumph in the Blue Riband of

the turf on June 1. If the other

leading bookmakers were to

follow Mecca's example a great

deal of uncertainty could be

avoided. Such a step would also

tore affair had been mishandled

and said so. The moles were saying that Danzatore had been

working badly before O'Brien's

in total last season. Lythnap probably had little to beat in the Skylark Stakes, but her manner of

victory could not be faulted. By Lyphard and out of that fast mare, Smooth, she cost her owner, khaled Abdulla, \$450,000 when she was a

Orange Reef carried the colours of Beckbampton Limited, but sadly this operation will soon be no more.

"always assuming they can still race on the Knavesmire", Tree added

Rhodomantade, and his dam, Samba, to win. The appalling state

with a smile

winner, should not yet be ruled

out of calculations when it

comes to assessing the Derby. Robert Sangster, his owner, said yesterday that plans at Bally-doyle, where he is trained, were

still fluid. "I've just been discussing the situation with

Vincent's son-in-law, John Magnier. Pat Eddery has said that Lomond feels like a miler and the stable has so far regarded him as a speed horse.

But his pedigree could be regarded as similar to Nijins-ky's".

A similar situation occurred in 1975 after Grundy had been narrowly defeated by Bolkonski in the 2,000 Guineas. At that

time Peter Walwyn also had horses like Consol and Corby with stouter middle-distance pedigrees in his yard. Consequently 14-1 was freely available about Grundy for the Derby until shortly before his victory in the Irish 2,000 Gruneas.

withdrawal. And the stable were lucky to have a ready-made replacement in Lomond. Any suggestion - and I have heard them from one or two otherwise remove the pressure from all responsible sources - that the

Diesis's progress and his de-cision to run cannot have been an easy one. But the favourite's backers still lost their money. If

### Gloomy week in prospect

Rain is threatening to devastate the week's racing in Britain, and there is no comfort from the weathermen, who predict more to come. Yesterday's original total of 10 meetings was halved when Haydock Park, Newcastle, and Southwell joined the casualty list. The flatures at Warwick and

The stewards at Chester, who called off today's card on Sunday, have also abandoned tomorrow's meeting. If, as seems doubtful, Thursday's fixture survives a 4.30

concerned until the picture stable contrived the situation in order to perpetrate a betting It cannot be stressed too strongly that all trainers are in a "no win" situation as far as public relations are concerned. I myself thought that the Danza-tore affair had been mishandled Diesis's progress and his designed the state of the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to progress and his designed to the stable contrived the situation in order to perpetrate a betting of the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to perpetrate a betting of the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to perpetrate a betting of the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to perpetrate a betting of the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection this morning. It was the same store to the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection the store the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's properties to the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection to the deluge and Redcar stewards killed two birds with one stone by abandoning both today's and tomorrow's meetings at an inspection to the deluge and

The remaining three meetings tomorrow are all dependent on inspectious today. At Salisbury, where parts of the course are

### Cumani puts Derby case for Tolomeo

Doncaster yesterday when he brought off a double with Farioffa and Tom Okker. The final go-ahead and Tom Okker. The final go-ahead for racing was only given after an 11.30 inspection. Farioffa relished the soft ground when defying top weight of 10st in the day's feature race, the Sporting Chronicle Handicap; Tom Okker gave Willie Carson the third leg of a 370 - I treble when romping home to a three-leugths win in the Peleid Maiden Stakes.

These valuable handicaps always take a great deal of winning, and

Jolly Bay, a leading fancy for the Caks after her victory in the Pretty Polly Stakes at Newmarket last Friday will run neat in the Lupe Stakes at Goodwood on May 19. Her trainer, Jeremy Tree, said yesterday that as far as the Epsom classic was concerned the timing of the Goodwood race was absolutely right for Jolly Bay. Furthermore Goodwood with its bends and undulations will give her priceless and experience before Epsom.

Handlage Correspondent morning. Thank heavens for my all-weather gallops, which although it is well drained", he went on. In spite of the problems that he accountered getting his borses fit at home. Tree has made a marvellous start to the season. Ridden by another man in form, Pat Eddery, Lythnap and Orange Reef took his tally for the year to 10, which is only 12 fewer than he had a morning. take a great deal of winning, and Farioffa deserves full marks for class as well as gameness. Bali Dancer, a short-priced favourite at 2-1, was the first to come under pressure, and dropped back beaten halfway up the straight. At that point, Nioulargo had taken up the running, pressed by the well-backed Jupiter Island. this operation will soon be no more. It represents the estate of the late Jock Whitney, which is in the process of being dispersed. Along with qute a number of his stable companions. Orange Reef is now earmarked for a race at the spring meeting at York next week—

Takeney assuming they can still race. by the well-backed Jupiter Island.
Entering the last furlong, both
Parioffa and Hill's Pageant pounced. Showing the better turn of
finshing speed, Farioffa quickened
to win by a length with Jupiter
Island three lengths away, third.
Last time out at Newmarket,
Farioffa had finished behind Bali
Dancer when the rair were second

Dancer when the pair were second and fifth, respectively, to Ivano in the Earl of Sefton Stakes at the Craven meeting. "He needed that race badly," the trainer's wife, Sara, said "and don't forget that Farioffa had beaten Ball Dancer on July Course last support of the party of the second Bossanova Boy's victory in the Saxon House Handicap continued a remarkable success story that his rider, Geoff Baxter, began long ago with the colt's family, because he also rode both Bossenova Boy's sire, bademarkade and his days

Speaking from Newmarket later Louisville. Kentucky (AP) - in the day, Cumani said: "Farioffa Sunny's Halo, who spent the winter will now go for a group three race in swimming in California, appears Milan on May 15. After that, he will full of running pow, and in the can be guaged by the fact that Bossanova Boy won his race, which was over 10 furlongs, in a time that probably so for the Magnet Cup at the York July meeting." The trainer horse to beat in the Kentucky Derby

Luca Cumani struck form at heart after his magnificent second to oncaster yesterday when he Lomond in Saturday's 2,000

"He's eaten up well, and couldn't be better. It's next stop, Epsom. The Guineas often provides the best pointer to the Derby. Cumani said. In recent times, Mill Reef, Roberto and Grundy have all finished runners-up in the first of the colt's classics before going on to triumph

Cumani was quick to defend Tolomeo at Newmarket "Dettor did nothing wrong. I thought he rode a good race. Tolomeo is a horse who has to be covered up and held for a late run. Unfortunately, a gap race. Otherwise, we'd have given Lomond more to think about." It has not yet been decided, however, who will ride Carlo d'Alessio's three-year-old at Epsom.

three-year-old at Epsom.

Other Derby news came from Geoffrey Wragg after the Newmarket trainer had watched Deutschmark finish third to Silly Boy in the Edlington Handicap. "If there is racing on Thursday, Teenoso will run in the Chester Vase, which has been added to that afternoon's programme. Otherwise, we'll go for the Lingfield Derby Trial on Saturday." If the weather fails to relent soon we are certainly going to see some competitive classic trials

opinion of several trainers, he is the



Bossanova Boy (nearer camera) passes Pair-of-Deuces in the final strides of Kempton's Saxon House Handicap.

Kempton results

<sup>2</sup>.0 (2.01) Orichard House Stakes (2-y-o: 22,540: 51)

BOSSANOVA BOY b c by Rhodomantade – Semba (4 Honley) 4-8-1 (G Baxter (9-2p) 1 Pair-OH-Deusces — Cook (11-2) 2 Tulse Piper — P Eddery (12-1) 3 Doncaster

Going: Straight course, heavy, Round 3.0 (3.02) SKYLARK STAKES (3-y-o fil E3,248: 51) 2.15 (2.17) WISETON AUCTION STAIRES (2-y-o: maidens: £1,075: 5f) TOTE: Wirt. 25.50. Please: 23.50, 23.60, 22.80. DP: 215.00. CSF: 259.90. J Etherington at Mahon. 11, 2. Winning Style (8-1) 4th. 22 rpn. 1min 06.34eec.

> 2.45 (2.47) **COAL MINER HANDICAP** (28,384: 59)
> SNGDMG SALLOR by e by Marstingh —
> Saziady.4-8-6 W Careon (8-1) 1
> Baton M Birch (11-10 fav) 2
> Gree Song O Gray (11-2) 3 TOTE: Wir. 25.50. Places: 21.40, \$1.50, \$1.70. DF: £8.30. CSF: £17.18. R Thompson at

TOTE: Wir: £2.50. Places: £1.10, £1.10, £1.60. DF: £4.80. CSF: £2.88. A Jarvis et Royston. 4l, hd. Birthright (20-1) 4th.9 ran. 1m 38.75sec. TOTE: Wir: £5.20. Places: £2.50, £1.70, £2.50. DF: £30.70. CSF: £65.34, Tricast: £414.48. L. Curnent at Newmarket. 11, 31, Ball 4.30 (4.34) PARTH STAKES (3-y-o: £2,638: 1m 3.45 (3.50) BAWTRY STAKES (3-y-o: selling: £1,356:70) OZRA D 1 by Red Alert- March Madone (8 11) P. Tulk (9-2) 7 Jolly Sera M. Birch (7-2 Fev) 1 Linenhot W. Carson (9-2) 1

TOTE: Wir: E7.00. Places: £2.00. £1.60. £1.50. DF: £18.70. CSF: £22.18. C Booth at Faxton. \$1, 41. Major Brew (11-1) 4th. 10 ran. 1m 38.76sec. No bid. 4.15 (4.19) PELEID STAKES (3-y-o: maldens: £1.035; 1m 4f)

TOTE: Win: £3.60. Places: \$1.70, £2.90. £1.40. DF: £18.50. CSF: £26.76. L. Cumani at Nowmarket. 3l. 1yl. Snow Mallard (25-1) 4th. 13 ran. Nr. Afzal, fied Rippia. 4.45 (4.52) EDLINGTON HANDICAP (3-y-o: E2.708: 1m)

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Sandy Barclay, the golden boy of British racing after be became champion apprentice at 17, returned from self-imposed exile at Kempton, where he finished ninth of 10 on Minshaanshu Amad - his first ride in this country for five years -behind Bosanova Boy.

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2. 15: 1. Golden Knott (2-1 fav); 2. Rich Vision (50-1); 3. Cettic Beil (50-1), 17 ran.

2. 45: Fillets Farm (4-1 it fav); 2. Bagiey Blumey (25-1); 3. Generous Bid (11-2), 11 ran. Been Magged (4-1 it fav), NR; Philmorm.

3. 15: Ensigna Kit (33-1); 4. Hurdess (25-1); 3. Lost For Words (20-1); 4. Hurdess (25-1); 3. Lost For Words (20-1); 4. Hurdess (25-1); 20; 1 ran. Dobsons Choice (5-1 fav), 3. 45: De Plavend (5-4 fav); 2. Hobo (100-30); 3. Ernest (9-2), 5 ran.

4. 15: Read View (4-8 fav); 2. Ando's Comfort (5-1); 3. Jolly Red (50-1), 7 ran.

4. 45: Peparacer (9-4 fav); 0. Samen Princers (7-2); 3. Fortom Princers (14-1), 17 ran. NR; Blond Solder.

FORTWELL Park

2.0: 1, Summercove (8-1): 2 Erosa (10-1): 3, Mias Sadder (8-1): 4 Haywire (8-1). 21 ran. Nucust (9-2 tay). NRI: George Kiritand.

2.30: 1, Raffi Nelson (12-1): 2 Rocamist (5-1): 3. Bold Desier (5-1). 16 ran. Monad Bard (9-2 fay). NRI: Physicist. Chavey Down.

3.0: 1, Brave Lon (6-1): 2 Another Deed (7-1): 3, Staffordshire Knot (3-1 tay): 4. Captain Flek (20-1): 20 ran. NRI: Taxas, Chevington.

3.90: 1, Cruster Missile (4-1): 2, Farnous Footseps (10-1): 3, Swordsman (10-1): 15 ran. Bennys Boy (7-2 tay).

4.0: 1, Denoing Sovereign (4-1): 2, Whole Shebsang (4-5 fay): 3, The Pain Barrier (15-2). 17 ran. NRI: Knightbridge George.

4.30: 1, Revenue (3-1): 2, Fit de Fer (7-1): 3. Massier Nibble (9-2): 12 ran. Centrebank (5-2 fay).

Devon 2.15: 1, Princely Mark (5-2); 2, Cobiey Express (100-1); 3, Bareaca (100-1); 17 ran. Intergration (8-4 tay), NRT: Forton. 2.45: 1. High Jakes (5-1); 2, Radenham (8-11 fay); 3, Culm Valley (33-1); 13 ran. 3.15: 1. Don Sabreac (8-1); 2, North Lane (33-1); 3, Srowndodd Lad (10-1); 3 ran. Dampier (2-1 fay); 3, 45: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 3, 35: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 3, 35: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 3, 35: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 3, 35: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 3, 35: 1. Amother Method (7-1); 1, North Lane (33-1); 1, North 1. Another Plater (7-1); 2, Vulgan's Gits 3. Other Hardy (12-1). 11 ran, Tepolico (7-4 tiny). 4.15: 1. Smithy Lane (33-1); 2, Beau Sauvage. (16-1); 3, Isla of Shora (4-6 tiny). 11 ran. 4.45: 1. Prairie Mover (20-1); 2. Easter Vision (10-1); 3, Le Vert Gallant (2-1 tiny). 18 ran.

### **Turner** counts the cost of a wash-out

By John Woodcock, Cricket Correspondent

Had the seasons been right, he could have flighted duck at advertising and local sponsor-Grace Road yesterday. In parts the ground was a foot deep in water, leaving the abandonment of Leicestershire's match with Hampshire a mere formality. The road leading from the motorway was impassable.

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Saturday pretty nearly as good a success. batting wicket as Hampshire thought they were likely to play on this season. By scoring 129 not out on it, Chris Smith drew programme of 16 first-class immediate attention to the matches, the other which feels growing challenge being made by overseas players for places in the England side. If he himself is not contact that the influx of overseas players has been of great benefit to English cricket. But for them is not quite good enough, his younger brother, Robin, who becomes an "Englishman" in 1985 almost containing a light of them. 1985, almost certainly will be.

Smith Minor is reckaned by Peter Sainsbury to be as good a player as Barry Richards at the same age. He is 19 and overseas player, are being immensely powerful. Playing deprived of imported talent, for Natal in the winter he first half dozen tant that counties such as his, in the South African averages. With the Smiths from South talent, should be granted greater Africa and the two West Indians, Greenidge and Mar-other counties who are not shall, all on thier staff, Hamp-shire will find themselves on the Living National Market in the live of the sees a return to the old days United Nations black list if they are not careful.

With Leicester City at home to Bolton Wanderers in the Football League, in a match of some significance, and Leicester playing Bristol at Twickenham in the final of the John Player Rugby Cup, Grace Road was fairly deserted on Saturday. Yesterday and Sunday were to have been the cricketing days. Although Leicestershire seldom fail to make a profit they have an increasing struggle to do so. Every wash-out makes it more

To run the Leicestershire

Mike Turner, the Leicester membership, gates and Test shire secretary, is a keen shot, match profits, and half from other counties, of Leicester-To the groundsman's credit shire, because he sees cause for he had managed to produce on worry about their continuing

CRICKET: ANOTHER BLANK DAY IN THE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

kept them going and to whom they are so beholden.

Now that Leicestershire, with an allowance of only one overseas player, are being deprived of imported talent, tant that counties such as his, being limited in indigenous talent, should be granted greater when the championship was monopolised by two or three sides, of whom Leicestershire

caring and experienced admin-istrator who in his 23 years at Grace Road has helped to work wonders there. The selectors would not agree about the overseas players. Nor, I expect, would the young men on the fringe of the Leicestershire side.

county club at its present of the 10 years from 1985 to Oxford University and Sussex, strength costs £400,000 a year.

Of that, half comes from and as much of England's today, was called off yesterday.



There she blows! Surrey's "whale" is emptied by the groundsman, Harry Brind, at the Oval yesterday.

prosperity as of Leicestershire's. He even thinks that only Englishmen should play for England. When next winter he is waiting for the mallard to come in he will, I hope, for all his anxieties, have a successful Leicestershire season to reflect

After the loss of all five firstclass matches on Sunday the entire programme of nine games was washed out yesterday, Our Sports Staff writes. As well as Leicester, the championship fixtures at Derby, Trent Bridge, the Oval and Worcester were abandoned as draws; not a ball was bowled either at Edgbaston and Oki Trafford or Nor do L because I believe the invasion had got out of hand.

Yet the Leicestershire secretary thinks as much in terms of the 10 years from 1985 to 1995.

THE OVAL: Surray 128 for 6 (R D V Knight St not out: Bowling: Dilley 18-7-35-2; Jarvin 12-6-19-1; Ellison 11-2-24-2; Wookner 9-3-13-1; Cowdray 6-0-29-0; Underwood 1-1-0-0), Surray Opts, Kent 2.

### Sibson's pulled muscle thrusts stiff examination on Kaylor

However, Sibson's ill wind becomes a refreshing zephyr for the unbeaten London middleweight, Mark Kaylor, who moves up to share the top billing against Watts, aged 33. Only an hour or so before Kaylor heard the news about Sibson, he himself faced the prospect of an idle evening because his scheduled American opponent, Doug Demmings, had also withdrawn.

The hasty pairing of Kaylor and Watts was togical although it took considerable persuasion by the co-promoter, Mike Barrett, to get both to agree at such short notice. It should be more than useful test for the stylish West Ham man, who has won all his previous 22 contests and is to challenge for the British title, held by Roy Gumbs, in the autumn.

Although past his best, Watts bolds a rare points verdict over Hagler — reversed in typically ruthless style later by boxing's only undisputed world champion but he has been relatively inactive recently and has no reputation as a damaging respective.

VOLLEYBALL

Rucanor

best side

in Britain

Speedwell Rucanor, of Bristol. set the scal on their all-conquering season with victory in the Mikasa Cup final at the Britannia Leisure Centre, Shoreditch, on Sunday.

The brushed aside Capital City Spikers, formerly Kelly Girl Internationals, 3-0 (15-7, 15-10, 15-7) after allowing the Spikers a five-point lead in the first set.

Speedwell have a great record in domestic competition; they have

let Spark, last year's cup-winners,

In Scotland, MIM won their eighth cup title, and recorded yet another league and cup double. They totally dominate the Scottish score as their disculptions.

Royal Bank Cup finals at Meadow bank, Edinburgh, indicates.

Airdrie had taken them to five sets earlier this season, but on Sunday MIM were superior in all

singly mills were superior in an departments. The youngest player on either side, Ian McKenzie, aged 17. played promisinly for MIM while Gerry Docherty, rather more at the other end of the age scale, held Airdrie together but could do little to repel MIM's attacks. The match was all ower in 50 minutes.

little to repel MIM's attacks. The match was all over in 50 minutes.

The women's final was a sterner affair, with Telford defeating Whitburn 16-14, 14-16, 15-7, 15-9 to record a league and cup double for the second consequiive year. The first two sets took an hour, all bar one minute, but Telford broke Wihiburn in the third set and the fourth was a formality.

SHOREDITCH: Mikasa Cuts

Indeed, his now sepin-tinged skills may be beter accommodated

Tony Sibson's insistence that the clubbing Marvin Hagler gave him II weeks ago has not blumted his ambition will not to be put to the test at the Wembley Arena tonight after all. Yesterday, the former European middleweight champion withdrew from his contest against Hagler's chief sparring partner. Bobby Watts, because of a pulled muscle in his back.

However, Sibson's ill wind becomes a refreshing zephyr for the unbeaten. London middlesmeight champion that the delay is only temporary, and expects hiem to box at the Albert Hall on May 31.

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Leicester gymnasium last week and bas not responded to rest or has not responded to rest or physiotherapy. "Tony is pig sick", Burns said. "He was really looking forward to this fight and had worked extremely hard. We kept quiet about the injury because we were hoping it would clear up, but, while he can walk and run, he is unable to bob and weave, and this obviously restricts his mobility in the ring. There is no way we would take a risk against an experienced man like Watts. Tony is too big a property for that."

A potentially even hotter property, the heavyweight, Frank Brano, goes into the ring against his fifteenth opponent, Scott Le Dour, of Minneapolis, with some advice from his private tutor, Floyd Patterson, who wants him to be better balanced when he throws his left jab. Patterson says: "At the moment, he is dragging his right foot too far back, which unbalances him and leaves him open to a right-hand counter."

Whether Le Dour, an amiable and articulate fellow, aged 34, whose roughly landscaped features bear testimony to his latter-day relegation from contender to opponent, has enough left to inflict sach educational indigatiy on Brune is questionable. The possibility, though, causes Bruno's manager, Terry Lawless, some anxiety. He says. The man may be near the end of his career but he still has his pride, and he won't want to be beaten by a novice. He's an old pro and they are a dangerous breed."

It will be interesting to compare Bruno's performance with that of the American prospect, Greg Page, who inflicted savage humiliation on Le Doux in four rounds less than two years ago. Page and other young heavyweights of his ilk are the ones Bruno will soon have to face and beat, if his world title aspirations are to be taken seriously.

Tonight's bout seems a timely piece of matchmaking, with the now purity Le Doux likely to show Bruno a trick or two before energy and ambition expire in the later rounds.



Kaylor: laid-back technique may be the answer to Watts's skills.

"baby", but, at the same age, 21. Floyd Patterson was the world heavyweight champion. Perhaps, when he accounts for Scott Le Dour – uncharitably known these days on the United States circuit as Scott Le Don't – it will be time to remove Brune's diapers.

EXCLUSIVE: How,I straight-drove the media into a monastery

### In the cities of the plain, 1-b-w stands for libido-before wicket

Speakwell have a great record in domestic competition: they have not been beaten in the league for 74 matches, a run which stretches back to 1978. League champions for the fourth time in a row, they have also now won the cup twice and have clearly established themselves as the best club side in Britain.

On Sunday, Speadwell never let the Spikers play as well as they did at Bath earlier in the season, when they had match points against the champions in the fourth set. Steve Pincott, the Speedwell spiker and former international, was named man of the match.

The women's final was also a one-sided affair, with Hillingdon beating Spark 3-0 (15-5, 15-4, 15-2). Hillingdon, the league champions, fielded five internationals, three let Spark, last year's cup-winners, into it.

Away matches were the best.

The married players liked them because they could escape from cities of the plain beyond the their wives and "home improvements" for the day. The unmarried ones liked them Saturdays when, at drawing of because they sometime tired of the local scenes and wanted to safe from detaction are and the local scenes and wanted to safe from detaction.

never intruded on my private life, because I could have told them a thing or two.

The homeward journey, late that night or early the next morning, was noisy, smoky,

them a thing or two.

I was a wild provincial boy beery, and - stretching a point - then. I have settled down since, and married, and gone to live ing unison, about the mating among stockbrokers and rising habits of the sturgeon or the fact that you cannot so to because in the two cannot so to because it. among stockprokers and rising paties of the sturgeon or the fact young estate agents in the that you cannot go to heaven in suburbs, and I now prefer a old Ford car. One or two recled reading lamp to the bright up and down the gangway, lights. But in those days it was different. Only death, illness or prison would have kept me out they claimed to have seen or of night clubs and clip joints at weekends.

Away matches were the best.

Our cricket, too, had its

the local scene and wanted to safe from detection, we ex-explore the dives of another changed whites for glad rags and town (not knowing, yet, that dispersed to the hot spots, with one dive is much like another). banalities like victory or defeat more than an excuse for a beano afterwards.

Well do I remember those

roe blamed the media and their intrusions on the private lives of players for hastening Bjorn Borg's retirement from tennis.

A short while ago I wrote about my disappointment that I game. But mostly we sat and never received any "boot money" during my disport player. I was also disappointed that the media about the terminal about the evening ahead:

The homeward journey, late cence, had ever approached us about all these carrying-on, we would have regarded it, not as intrusion on our private lives, but as a chance to instruct the less experienced in the ways of the world. We would have assured them that they had not heard the half of it. We would have made their eyes pop and their ears burn.

To mention only the men-

To mention only the mentionable, we would have told them about club jaunts to London and Hamburg and Paris and Amsterdam; about scrummages and long legs: about clandestine assignations during Calcutta Cup weekend or the Lord's Test match; about banana juice flowing like champagne and floor shows Olympic in their scope. And some of it would have been true. The only people who might have retired as a result of these scandalous but far from these scandalous but far from unique disclosures were the media themselves - probably into a monastery.

Such pleasures seem insipid now, and the media would have no cause to intrude on my private life. The emperor fully clothed is not news. They would not want to know that I am just like them - that I walk the dog. cut the lawn, and enjoy the occasional day trip to Hastings

Gordon Allan

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### A Dane preparing himself for battle in England

There is no new thing under the sun, it is said, and to no sport is that more often applicable than to cricket, whose long history offers a cricket, whose long history offers a precedent for even the most unusual occurrences. In the context of the present season sun is acarcely appropriate, so perhaps the exception to the biblical dictum can be excused in the case of Oie Mortensen (left) who joins Derbyshire today determined to become the first Dane to play

earned a place in the records as the first Dane to sign a professional county contract; whether he will achieve his ambition will depend county counted whether the wall achieve his ambition will depend on his progress in the second XI, for whom he is due to make his first appearance as a contracted player (he played for them once in 1979) on May II against Northamptonshire II at Burton. Philip Russell, the Derbyshire coach, believes that the 6ft 3in Mortensen has the potential to play for the first team.

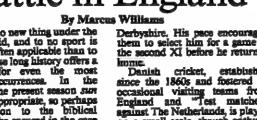
He was first brought to the county's attention by lan Buxton, their former captain, who was impressed by his ability when he coached in Denmark. Mortensen came to England in Denmark's team for the ICC Trophy in 1979 (when they surprised many people by reaching the semi-finals) and he was invited for a net by

home.

Danish cricket, established since the 1860s and fostered by occasional visiting teams from England and "Test matches" against The Netherlands, is played on a small scale, though enthusiastically and is purely amateur. It astically, and is purely amateur, it offers little further challenge to Mortensen. "He is far too effective to be tested by much here in

Mortensen, who will be joined at the end of the month by his wife and recently-born baby, had a trial with Derbyshire last month and although the weather allowed him

nglishman. His decision to spend a summer in England has meant a reduction in pay: tax collectors in Copenha-



Denmark these days", Peter Hargreaves, a New Zealander who has done so much to spread the cricketing word in Denmark, says.

although the weather allowed him only 10 minutes' bowling on grass, his form there and in the indoor and artificially surfaced outdoor nets persuaded the county to offer him a one-year contract — once they had established that his citizenship of an EEC country meant that he could be registered, for cricketing purposes, as an Englishman.



### Graham Price's forthright opinion on the Lions in New Zealand

### How a dark past can be overcome in land of the long white cloud

Graham Price, Pontypool's prop forward, his expression set and serious, relates some basic requirements for the British Lions party to play in New Zealand. Basic, as much through brevity as content, they are: the need to illustrate not only to New Zealand enthusiasts but to followers of the game here as well, that British back play is still alive and, we hope, flourishing and to mend fences torn down by unsavoury aspects of the last tour in

Price, one of only two survivors from what became known as the 'bad-news tom' said: "Little things became annoying to us and we tended to look inward. Of course, the weather didn't help; it was simply atrocious. The week's training before the first match was completed under blue skies and delightful sun. On the day of the first

match at Masterton, the weather broke and never really relented thereafter.

"Players found they could not leave the hotels. We felt the New Zealand Rugby Union had been inflexible in certain ways, especially with regard to food. Having your choice limited to steak, fish or lamb for almost three mantles became a sore point with the months became a sore point with the

Perhaps there was too high a proportion of Welshmen in 1977, Price said. Of the 33 players used on that tour, 18 were Weish. The composition of this party seems so much better," he says. "No country has the dominance and that is good. On previous tours. one particular country always seemed to provide the majority of the players. Consequently, the Lions sides took on the national identity of that particular country. In 1977, we played the same

way as the Welsh international side. It didn't come off but there were so many Welsh players that it was probably inevitable we would keep that style. Price is every bit as patriotic a Welshman, in his own particular way,

as more blatant flag-wavers like Max Boyce, But even he admits: "The Lions of 1977 became a sullen lot. We did not of 1977 became a sullen lot. We did not mix very much with local people; we preferred our own company. This party must be more outward-going although I would also hope the authorities in New Zealand would be more flexible, too. Both sides can learn from the experiences of 1977, I am sure of that. "For us, it is important to mix with local people. We have a public relations job to do afterwhat happened in 1977: we have a lot to make up for. "We won't rely on individuals to inspire the team and we won't go there thinking if we win thirty per cent of the ball, out three-quarters will walk through the opposition to finish the job. That was the mistake in 1977 and we paid for it."

Price exudes the confidence of a man at the peak of his powers. His record of

the peak of his powers. His record of 41 caps as a Weish prop is proof of his qualities in the front row. He is, says that fine French prop, Robert Paparemborde, an excellent prop in the technical sense very big and strong.

Inevitable, says Price, not discussing

his own merits byt the comparative ascendency of British props against their New Zealand counterparts. "The strongest props are from Britain because the New Zealand game is geared so much towards second-phase

"What happens in the tight is not so crucial as at the point of breakdown

That is their philosophy and so Lions' props do not experience their hardest games in New Zealand. It is normally much harder in Paris or at Twicken-

The collision, in a metaphorical sense, of the prop, Price, and the Lions' tacticain, Telfer, should be something worth travelling half the world to see. "We won't neglect the scrummage from what here of our coach." Trips Price

what I hear of our coach," grins Price.

"From what I gather, he is a very dour Scot. But then we are a dour lot at Pontypool! We shall get along alright because you've got to remember, it is very important to swoid the clan groups. very important to avoid the clan groups on tours like these. It is vital there are

no cliques.
"We must also ensure we do the basic things properly, without too many frills. We leave without real stars behind the scrum but perhaps this tour can make a few."

Price is a man who discovered in the cruellest manner the physical excesses of some Southern Hemisphere play, alas not to do with rugby, but beyond the dividing line into the realm of violence. The broken jaw he suffered in Australia was a hideous injury but, typically, the Welshman forecasts no repeat of such acts in New Zealand.

"The hardest scrummaging pack we played against in 1977 was in training against the reserve side. The All Blacks look at scrums as a way to get the ball back and the quicker the better. Besides, the New Zealanders are good players and don't need to resort to such

"In Australia, when I was injured, it was a particular person. The guy who



clouted me wasn't a good player. He was no rugby international."

And there ends, we shall hope, reference to such distasteful matters. Under Willie John — "he was a player's captain and will be a player's manager says Price - it is to be hoped that respect will be the watchword, on and off the field.

It is good that Price, through his experiences in 1977, is setting out determined to help foster the spirit of goodwill and good rugby, qualities which were sadly absent for too much of that ill-fated previous tour.

For, in times of creeping commer-cialism within the game, and the probing, greedy fingers of the money-minded who are intent only on financial gain, rugby - not just in Britain but in New Zealand and everywhere else - needs a good Lions tour in the "Land of the Long White

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6.00 Daybreak with Gavin Scott followed at 8.30 by Good Morning Britain presented by Linda Berry and Nick Owen. News at 6.00, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, and 9.50; morning papers previewed at 6.33 and 8.33; pop video at 6.50; television news at 7.50; Lonnie Donegan interviewed at 8.20; topical features at 8.40 and 9.05. Closedown at 9.15.

### ITV/LONDON

9.30 For Schools: Ordinal numbers 9.45 All about horses. For the hearing impaired 10.04 Different homes and styles of family life 10.21 Human birth 10.43 Documentary: A Stench in the Ear 11.05 The changing nature of work 11.22 Basic maths: Combining 11.39 French conversation

12.00 Cockleshell Bay. Adventures of the Cockle twins, for the very young (r) 12-10 Once Upon a Time. Mark Wynter tells the story of the Wind, the Rain and the Sparrow (r) 12.30

1.00 News with Leonard Parkin 1.20 Thames news from Robin Houston 1.30 Crown Court Peanuts. A woman is accused of pushing another woman into a display of bottles in an off-licence (r) 2.00 A Plus. 2.30 Love in a Cold Climate. Episode six of the serial base con covers by Nancy Mittord.
Starring Judi Dench and
Michael Aldridge (r) 3.30
Looks Familiar. (r)

4.00 Cockleshell Bay. A repeat of the programme shown at noon 4.15 Cartoon: No Barking 4.20 Razzamatazz. Fun. games and pop music presented by Alastair Pirrie and Lisa Stansfield 4:45 CB TV -Channel 14. News, views and ideas for young people 5.15
Emmerdale Farm. Pet Sugden spends her money on something unusual – and this

displeases Jack 5.45 News 6.00 Thames news 6.20 Crossroads, Does J. Henry Pollard really have Adam Chance at his mercy?

6.45 Reporting London presented by Michael Barrett. 7.15 Film: Panic in Echo Park (1977) starring Dorian Harewood as Doctor Stoner, a hospital physician who traces the medical connection between several of his patients who live in the same block of flats, is is the start of an epidemic? Directed by John

Llawellyn Moxey 8.30 Goodnight and God Bless. Comedy series starring Donald Churchill about a successful television quiz show presenter. Tonight, he is asked to make a commercial with a glamorous French film

9.00 The Flame Treas of Thika. Part three of the serial based on the autobiographical novel by Elspeth Huxley. Starring Haylay Muls (r)

10.00 A Party Political Broadcast on behalf of the Conservative 10.05 News.

Dimbleby and Jane Walmsley present three contrasting documentaries - A Desperate Choice, about breast cancer 10.20 Brahms Pitts One. Kenneth Siltto, Keith Harvey and Craig Sheppard of the Gabrieli String surgery Rupert Goes to Town - which examines the privileged life of Rupert Deen who spends most of his life in the pursuit of pleasure and Voices from Moscow about 10.50 A Party Political Broadcast on behalf of the Consevative

11.35 Jobs Limited. The first of a seven-part series, presented by Douglas Moffitt, suggesting ways the unemployed can help

12.05 Portrait of a Legend. James Darren talks to soul singer



Rupert Deen; ITV 10,35pm

BBC 2

6.05 Open University: Modern Art:

Picasso. 6.30 Luminance and Spectroscopy. 6.55 Biology: Form and Function, 7.20 Steel,

Stars and Spectra, 7.45 Potsdam 4: The Altermeth.

Play School. For the under fives, presented by Carol Chell and Andrew Secombe. The

story is Gary the Greatest, by

sport, weather and traffic details. Also available to viewers with television sets that do not have the teletext

facility. 4.00 Closedown.

5.10 Teaching and Control. An Open University production that investigates the methods

teachers use to cootrol

children in a classroom.

5.40 The Old Grey Whistle Test. A

repeat of Friday's programme which featured studio guests

Little Steven and the Disciple

of Soul and Spandau Ballet.

programmes that examine

past masters of sport. This

evening - Tommy Fart (r).

6.50 Cartoon Two. Aquarium, an award winning Bulgarian short, about our competitive

7.00 News summary with subtitles

Wainwright's Guide to the Lakeland Fells, in his first Interview, talks about the epic

work which he began 30 years

(1954) starring Marilyn Monroe, Robert Mitchum and

Rory Calhoun. The story, set in

the time of the Canadian gold rush of 1875, of a saloon

singer and her gambler husband who come into the

life of a hard-working farmer.

Directed by Otto Preminger.

9.05 Discovering Birds. Part five and Tony Soper takes traines birdwatchers out of the garden

an Empire. A French-fill

Afghanistan – a Valley Against

documentary that follows the

Written and narrated by Simon

Quartet play Brahms's Trio in C major, Op 87.

Panshir Valley against the might of Soviet weaponry.

to wilder terrain.

9.30 The World About Us.

Party.

7.05 Wainwright. The author of

7.35 Film: River of No Return

6.20 Maestro. The first of four

Closedown at 8.10.

Margaret Joy. 11.25 Closedown.

2.00 Ceefex, News headlines.

A contest of David and Goliath proportions is the subject of AFGHANISTAN – A VALLEY AGAINST AN EMPIRE (BBC2 9.30pm) Filmed undercover in the Panishir Valley by two French reporters, posing as part of a medical team, the programme follows the activities of Afghan guerrillas in preventing the occupying Russian forces from capturing the valley that would secure a direct route from Moscow to Kabul. Written and narrated by Simon Winchester, the programme highlights the determination and total belief of the guerrillas that they will eventually overcome the colonization attempt by Russie and

once more revert back to their own

CHANNEL 4

5.00 A Full Life. In the fourth of her

series of interviews with older people who are leading long

and interesting lives Jill Cochrane talks to Admiral Sir

Frank Twiss, a former Black

Rod, who recalls his short and glorious war, much of which

was spent in a Japanese prisoner-of-war camp after his ship was sunk in the Java sea.

5.30 Countdown. Richard Whiteley

tests. Two competitors

introduces another in the

series of words and numbers

compete against each other

and the clock as anagrams and metal arithmetic problems

are thrown at them. Refereeing this hectic bout of

erudition is Kenneth Williams.

6.00 A Partly Satirical Broadcast. An insight into Britain's political parties designed to assist the first time voter. This

evening the Liberal/SDP Alliance state their case.

7.00 Channel Four News including

8.00 Brookside. With husband

roque burgiar alarm.

Roger away on business

7.50 Comment.

television scriptwriter and his family and friends. Also starring Mary Tyler Moore.

news headlines at 7.30 followed by Stephen Phillips's

weekly Arts Focus. News from the Business world is at 7.40.

Heather Huntington asks friend Polly to stay, but neither of them can cope with Roger's

while Shelia Grant

receives a warning about her husband's growing friendship

ow an aunty herself, Amanda

blg event in her life - her first

date - of which Patti has built

her hopes high. But faced with

Starring Nicola Cowper as Amanda, Prunella Scales as Patti and Marcus d'Amico as

with Petra but chooses to

ignore it. Starring Amenda Burton and Paul Usher.

8.30 S.W.A.L.K. Episode four and

6.30 The Dick Van Dyke Show, Vintage domestic comedy

Rupert Goes to Town, one of three documentaries in the second

### CHOICE

edition of FIRST TUESDAY (ITV 10.35pm, some regions vary) examines the profligate life of extravagant life-style is investigated, accompanied by suitably outrageous remarks, and ends at a luncheon where he

playboy batchelor and self-confessed exploiter of the working celebrates his 44th birthday with like-minded Hooray Henrys. An interesting film if only to see what kind of person chooses to live the

broadcaster Miles Kington turns his investigative attentions to a, once, yearly sea side range that began on publicity sturts ever devised.

Radio 4

8.00 News Briefing.
 8.10 Farming Week.
 8.25 Shipping Forecast.
 8.30 Today, including 6.45 Prayer for the Day, 6.55, 7.35 Weather.
 7.00, 8.00 Today's News, 7.20 Your Letters, 7.25, 8.25 Sport.
 7.30, 8.30 News Headfines, 7.45 Thought for the Day.
 8.43 The Brazilian Cet by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle (2).
 8.57 Weather, Travel.
 9.05 Tuesday Calt: 01-580 4411.
 Astronomy, in the studio with

Astronomy. In the studio with Sue MacGregor is Heather Couper, Astronomy Educator at the Old Observatory in

Greenwon.
10.00 News.
10.02 From Our Own Correspondent.
10.30 Morning Story: "A Summer Tenant" by Pat Burchard.
10.45 Delly Service †.
11.09 News; Travel.
11.03 Thirty-maute Theatre: "The Video Man" by Ballyons.

Violso meai by billing. 11.33 Wildlife. 12.00 News. 12.27 Brain of Britain 1983 f. 12.55 Weather; Travel; Programme

6.00 News Briefing.

### August Bank holiday in 1927, In YOU ARE MR LOBBY LUD . . .

The scheme worked and it turned holidaymakers into amateur detectives, armed with the

Prolific humorous columnist and

(Radio 4 4.10pm) Kington traces the history of the holiday pastime that came into being when a bright spark at the offices of the alling London 12.15 Shipping Forecast; Inshore

Westminster Gazette hatched a plan to boost the newspaper's falling circulation. The idea was to plant an ordinary, plain-looking person on a promenade at a popular sea-side resort, publish a picture of him in the newspaper and offer £50 for the first person to identify him correctly. newspaper, peering into each others faces. But what was it like to be the most wanted man in town? Kington has traced the original

Lobby Lud, W T Chinn, who reveals

### Schools: 2-00 History: Long Ago; 2-20 A-Level History: 2-40 Stories and Rhymes: 5-50-5-55 PM (continued): 11-00 Study on 4: Managing Your Money: 11-30-12-10 Open University: 11-30 From Baroque to Classical: 11-50 Open Forum: Students the secrets behind one of the best

9.00 News. 9.05 This Week's Composer:

7.03 News.
7.05 The Archers.
7.26 GroundsRel. A series which looks at our environment.
7.50 Feedback, Your criticisms and comments about BBC radio and Bruch.t

8.05 Fig on 4. Roger Finnigan reports on the fibel laws and how they seem to work only for the wealthy. Can a poor man protect his name? Rachmaninov; records.t 8.35 Discursive Excursions (new

Alum.

9.05 in Touch. Magazine for the visually handicapped.

9.30 Kaleidoscope presented by Paul Allen, The programme includes reviews of Nicolas Roeg's new film. Eureka, starring Gene Hackman and Jane Lapotaire; and Gore Vidal's Duluth, a send-up of romantin action and TV.

up of romantic action and TV soap opera. 9.59 Weather. 10.00 The World Tonight: News.

available for people who suffer from phobias.

3.00 News.
3.02 Afternoon Theatre; "Time Slip" by Wally K Daly.
4.00 News.
4.02 Just After Four.
4.10 You are Mr Lobby Lud . . . The true story of a mysterious midsummer manifunt.
4.40 Story Time: "The Russian Interpreter"

Interpreter".

5.00 PM: News Magazine.

5.50 Shipping Forecast.

5.55 Weather: Programme News.

6.00 The Six O'clock News; Financial 6.30 In the Air.

series) Christopher Matthew talks to transatlantic rower Geoff

12.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News.
1.00 The World at one: News.
1.35 Party Political Broadcast by the Conservative Party.
1.40 The Archers.
1.55 Shipping Forecast.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour presented by Sue MacGregor, Brian Leadsom talks to Margaret Horsefield about a new way of finding out what is on the market if you are searching for an unusual period property; and Richard Hemingway, in the sixth of his 10.30 Just a Minute !. 11.00 A Book at Bedtime: "The Handyman" by Penelope Mortimer (2). Hemingway, in the sixth of his series for people with problems, has news of what treatment is

Radio 3 Weather.
 News.
 News.
 Morning Concert: Gershwin,
 Copetand, Bernstein, VillaLobos; records.t8.00 News. 8.05
 Morning Concert (continued)
 Eigar, Vaughan Williams,
 Rossimi, Biss; records.

Forecast. ENGLAND: VHF as above

except 6.25-6.30 am Weather; Travel. 10.00-19.45 For Schools: 18.00 Child Care; 10.15 Paytme; 10.30-19.45 The Song Tree. 11.00-12.00 For Schools: 11.00 Time and Tune; 11.20 Introduces Science; 11.40

Introducing Science: 11.40
Listening to Music. 1.55 pm
Listening Corner. 2.00-3.00 For
Schools: 2.00 History: Long Ago;
2.20 A. Lurel History: 2.40

9.05 This Week's Composer:
Brahms; records.f

10.00 Czech Philinarmonic Orchestra:
Dvorak, Maritinu; records.f

10.40 BBC Singers: Thea Musgrave,
Quitter, Fricker.f

11.10 Trio Krosta Chamber music:
C.P.E. Bach, Beethoven,
Pascutt, Damase.f

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Midday Concert. BBC Scottish.
S. O. Part 1: Dallapiccola,

1.00 News.
1.05 Midday Concert Part 2:
Tchaikovsky.†
2.00 Music Weekly.†
2.50 Brahms Chamber Music.†
4.05 London Philharmonic Orchestra:
Maconchy, Haydn,
Bachmennon; records.† 4.55 News.
5.00 Mainly for Pleasure.†
6.30 Cornett and Violkt: Virtuoso instrumental music from 17th-

instrumental music from 17th-century Italy.†
7.00 The Tigers: Opera by Havergal Brian - a BBC studio recording made in January this year. Prologue and Act 1.†
7.55 Jeremy Irons as Bying at Large. Selection from "The Torrington Diaries" by The Hon John Bying. 8.15 The Tigers, Act 2.19.15 Interval Reading.

9.25 The Tigers, Act 3.
10.30 Pascal Devoyon: Scriebin,
Franck, Mozart (Piano music).†
11.15 Naws.
VHS Only – Open University:
6.35-6.55am A Buddhist

### Radio 2

5.00 Ray Mooret. 7.30 Terry Wogent.
10.00 John Hoskent. 12.00 Music While ...
You Workt. 12.30 Gldria Humiford,
Including 2.02 Sports Deekt. 2.30 Ed
Stewart, including 3.02 Sports Deekt
3.45 Racing from Chestart. 4.90 David
Hamilton, including 4.02, 5.30 Sports
Deekt. 6.00 John Dunn, including 6.45
Sport and Classified Resultst. 7.30
Hubert Gregg says I Call It Style. 8.30
Boxing Speciel. 10.00 The Law Game.
10.30 Brian Matthew presents Round
Midnight (Stereo from midnight). 1.00
Big Band Speciel. The Radio Big
Bandt. 1.30 String Soundt. 2.00-5.00
Patrick Lunt presents You and the
Night and the Musict.

### Radio 1

6.00 Adrian John with The Early Show. 7.00 Mike Read, 9.00 Simon Bates. 7.00 Mike Read. 9.00 Simon Bates.
11.30 Mike Smith, including 12.30
Newsbeat. 2.00 Stave Wright. 4.30
Peter Powell, including 5.30 Newsbeat.
7.00 Fromtine. 8.60 David Jensen.
10.00 John Peeft. 12.00 Close.
VHF Radios 1 and 2: 5.00 am With
Radio 2. 8.30 Folk on 2: 9.30 Tom
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6.00 Newsdesh, 6.30 Jazz for the Asking, 7.90 World News, 7.09 Twenry-Four-Hours News Summary, 7.30 Rameau and Coupent, 7.45 Network UK, 8.00 World News, 8.09 Reflections, 8.15 Love and Mr Lewisham, 8.30 Structly Instrumental, 9.00 World News, 9.09 Review of the British Press, 9.15 The World Today, 9.30 Financial News, 9.40 Look Ahead, 9.45 Discovery 10.15 Rivers of the World, 11.00 World News, 11.09 News About British, 11.15 Letter from Lorsdon, 11.25 Scotland This Week, 11.30 Sports Imernational, 12.00 Radia Newsrest, 12.15 The Cuarlet, 12.45 Sports Rounday, 1.00 World News, 1.09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary, 1.30 Newslet, 12.45 A Jolly Good Show, 230 Worsen in Love, 9.00 World News, 8.09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary, 8.30 Rivers of the World, 8.45 The Instruments of Jazz, 9.15 Letter from London; 9.25 Paperback Choice, 9.30 World India, 9.10 World News, 10.00 World News, 10.00 The World Today, 10.25 Scotland this Week, 10.30 Financial News, 10.40 Reflections, 10.45 Sports Roundup, 11.00 World News, 11.09 News About Britain, 12.15 Radio Newsel, 12.30 Abolid Good Show, 1.15 Cuttooks News Summary, 1.45 Report on Religion, 2.00 World News, 2.09 Review of the British Press, 2.15 The Goldan Age of Operatia, 2.38 Women in Love, 4.05 World News, 2.09 Review of the British Press, 2.15 The Goldan Age of Operatia, 2.38 Women in Love, 4.05 Reneal News, 4.55 Reflections, 5.00 World News, 5.00 World N

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s London except: 9.25am-9.30 News.

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As London except 12.30 pm-1.00 Survival. 1.20-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 Entertainers: Darts rock group. 5.15 Gus. Honeybur. 5.20-5.45 Crossroads. 6.00 Today South West. 6.25 Televiews. 6.30 Only When I Laugh. 7.00 Robin's Nest. 7.30-8.30 Kright Rider. 9.00-10.00 Simon and Simon. 11.35 Journey to the Unkown. 12.35 am Postscript. 12.41 Closedown.

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### REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

### BBC 1

WALES 12.57-1.00 News of Wales headfines. 3.53-3.55 News of Wales headfines. 5.00-12.25em Gof (Welsh Rugby Union's Pro-Am at Chepstow). 12.25 News and weather. SCOTLAND 12.55-1.00 The Scottish News. 6.00-6.22 Reporting Scottand. 9.00-9.05 Party Political Broadcast (Scottish Conservative). 12.00 News and weather NORTHERN IRELAND 10.35-11.00 For Schools: Green Peas a Beriey O. 12.57 am-1.00 Northern Ireland News. 3.53-3.55 Northern Ireland News. 5.00-6.22 Scene Around Six. 12.00 News and weather. ENGLAND 6.00pcn-5.22 Regional news magazines. 12.05 am Close. 13-year-old Amanda Is beginning to doubt the wisdom of agony aunt Patti's advice. turns her attentions to the next the reality of sex instead of the fantasy of romance she becomes dislitusioned.

9.00 Film: Little Gloria . . . Happy S4C Lansbury, Christophe Plummer, Lucy Gutteridge, Bette Davis and Glynia Johns. Part one (part two tomorrow evening) of a made-fortelevision movie about the dramatic custody battle of 1934 when one of the world's richest women, Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney and Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt, a leading society beauty, waged a courtroom battle over custody

10.50 Eastern Eye. A magazine programme of Interest to Britain's Asian communities. Presented by Aziz Kurtha and Shyama Perera.

of Gioria's saughter, Little Gloria. Directed by Waris

Starts: 2.20pm Flatebalam. 2.35 Interval. 3.25 Rod and Line. 3.40 Intsh Angle. 4.05 Outsiders. 4.25 Party Satirical Broadcast. 4.50 Clwb S4C, 4.55 Plii-Broadcast. 4.50 Clwb S4C. 4.55 Pli-Pala. 5.00 Billdowerz. 5.30 Six Million Dollar Man. 6.30 Countdown. 6.55 Gair yn ei Bryd. 7.00 Newyddion Saith. 7.30 Coleg. 8.00 Cyswift Cymreig. 8.55 Smwoer. 9.25 Tell the Truth. 9.50 Pather's Day. 10.15 Musac in Time. 11.10 Malu Mulher. 12.05ean Gair yn ei Bryd. 12.10 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE As London except: 12.30pm-1.00 National Youth Jazz Orchestre. 1.20-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 Calendar. 5.15-5.45 Mork and Mindy. 6,60 Calendar. 6.35 Crossroads. 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30-8.30 Knight Rider, 9.00-10.00 Minder. 10.35 First Tuesday. 11.35 Antibes Jazz Festival. 12.05am Closedown.

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CENTRAL As London except 12.30pm-1.00 Gardening Time. 1.20-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 Young Doctors, 5.15-5.45 Survival. 8.00 Crossroads. 8.25 News. 7.90 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30-8.30 Knight Rider. 8.00-10.00 Minder. 11.35 News.

11,40 Levkas Man, 12,40am As London except: 12.30pm-1.00 Gardening Time. 1.20-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 History of the Grand Prix. 5.15-5.45 Batman. 6.00 News. 6.35 Crossroads. 7.80 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30-8.30 Knight Rider, 9.00-19.00 Minder. 11.35 Live at the Millionaire. 12.05em Survival. 12.35 Closedown.

**HTV WALES** As HTV West except: 6.00pm-6.35 Wales at Six.

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As London except: 12.30pm Survival. 1.26 News. 3.30-4.00 Entertainers. 5.20-5.45 Crossroads. 6.00 Channel Report. 5.30 Only When I Laugh. 7.00 Robin's Nest. 7.30-8.30 Knight Rider. 9.00-10.00 Simon and Simon. 10.00-10.05 Life in France. 11.35 Journey to the Unknown. 12.35am Closedown.

TVS

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 3.30-4.00 Looks Familiar. 5.15-5.45 Gambit. 6.00 Coast To Coast. 6.35 Crossroads 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30-8.30 Streets Of San Francisco. 9.00-10.00 Minder. 11.35 Portrait of a Legend: Aretha Franklin. 12.05em Company, Closedown.

GRANADA

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 Granada reports. 2.60-2.30 Exchange Fiegs. 3.39-4.00 Superstar Profile: Olivin Newton-John. 5.15-5.45 Happy Days. 5.45 News at 5.45. 6.00 Crossroads. 6.25 Granada Reports News. 6.30 Granada 100, 7.00 Emmerdale Farm. 7.30-8.30 Knight Rider. 9.00-10.00 Ouincy. 11.35 Mystenes of Edgar Wallace. 12.40am Closedown.

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Mr Michael Montague, chair-man of the English Tourist Board, suggested yesterday at the end of a wet May Day Holiday weekend that the three spring Bank holidays should be moved to the summer to increase the chances of some

He spoke after a survey by the board had shown "disappointing" turnout at Britain's top 23 resorts and attractions. Most places blamed the weath-

Mr Montague said: "Spring has now three official Bank holidays. Each year the weather seems to vie with the previous year to show that you can't fight nature. It comes as no surprise to the tourist board that you don't get a flaming June in

Spring.
"What one wonders is why we have to have these holidays in spring and plough through the traditional brief summer period without an official Bank holiday."

The was weather was a blow

The wet weather was a blow for organizers of fairs and carnivals but failed to surprise the staff of the London Weather Centre, who predict even more unsettled conditions ahead.

Traffic levels were light, the AA said. The RAC reported: "Rain has stopped play". However, patrols were kept busy because floodwater caused

car engines to seize up.
Sport was severely affected by
the rain. Six out of 10 race
meetings were called off due to waterlogged courses. All three of today's meetings, at Salisbury, Chester and Kelso, are off and three tomorrow, at Salisbury Chester and Cheltenham, are in doubt. All eight county cham-pionship cricket matches were called off.

Motorists who ventured out preferred to make short jour-neys to local events. AA patrols in Derbyshire said that cars and caravans were heading for home by midday yesterday. After two days of almost

continuous rain hundreds of acres in Derbyshire, Leicester-shire and Nottinghamshire are flooded. Sandbags were brought out to protect homes in a number of areas.

A forecaster at the London Weather Centre said that April could turn out to be the wettest on record, which could mean, for central London, since 1940. The least wet place will probably be somewhere in the north-west of Scotland.



Newly-fallen spring snow on the Brecon Beacons; a photograph taken on Craig y Fan-Ddu. Right: Michael Rudall: sheltered climber with his body.

### Rescuer dies saving injured climber

None of the injured was said yesterday to be in a serious condition but the tragedy has revived the argument about the wisdom of allowing young people from lowland areas into the hills when the weather is bad and rescuers are likely to have to risk their own lives

saving them.

Mr Kenneth Smith, Venture
Scout adviser for the West Midlands, said yesterday that the scouts were well equipped and well prepared. During a radio interview he said: "I am responsible for signing the bazardous country form for this event and as far as I am concerned, the leadership they were with and their preparations vere excellent. These accidents

happen in mountains."
Asked on the same programme whether there was any sense of anguish or anger locally at the accident, Police Inspector David Jones, of Dyfed and Powis police at Brecon, replied: "There could wall be. We get this trouble every Bank holiday this trouble every Bank holiday. We have had people ringing us from all over the country this morning asking about their sons and daughters who are supposed to be climbing in the Brecon

Throughout Britain mountain rescue teams have been standing by over the Bank holiday in expectation of such a tragedy. In all the main mountain areas the weekend began with beautiful

thousands of climbers and walkers to the bills. "On walkers to the hils. On Sunday there was a complete switch back to winter. Anybody who did not obey the signs and act accordingly could have been badly caught out", one rescue team member on stand-by in the team member on str Lake District said.

When an accident happens the responsibility is delegated by the police to the teams of ready in all the principal hills

The British Mountaineering Council, the governing body of the sport, said yesterday: "Every member in a mountain team knows precisely the score is. They, and it is part of the code of the sport in all countries that they will go to the aid of any fellow climber who is in difficulties. Unfortunately, this is a price that rescuers have to pay every so often but it is precisely the same for members of the RNLI and for the RAF belicoopter crews. When things go wrong they usually go wildly wrong in severe conditions.

The youths involved were both pupils at Bishop Vesey's Grammar School, Sutton Coldfield. They belong to the Quest Venture Scout Unit at Banner's Cote Setter and were with a Gate, Sutton, and were with a party of 24 scouts on a three-day

Ceramics by Henry Hammond; Pastels and paintings by Leszek Muszynski; Jewelry by Wendy Ramshaw; Sculptural ceramics by Clare Birch, Oxford Gallery, 23 High Street, Oxford; Mon to Sat 10



### in error on **US** planes

From Mohsin Ali Washington

Somali air defence units fired on two US F-14 fighter aircraft on two US F-14 ignter aircrant last Thursday, apparently mistaking them for Soviet-built Ethiopian MiG-23s, the US Defence Department said yesterday. The two F-14 jets were from the aircraft carrier. America.

"The aircraft were never in danger because of the range involved and our aircraft procedures," the Pentagon

After the incident, in Soma-lia's Berbera area, the depart-ment "consulted immediately with the Somali Government, who assured us that procedures had been implemented to prevent a similar occurrence." The Pentagon declined to

comment on a press report that the F-14 aircraft were on a boto-mapping mission and the Somalis had opened fire with anti-aircraft guns and fired a surface-to-air missile.

### Somalis fire | Hardliner should replace Whitelaw, says journal

Continued from page 1

The journal points to last month's announcement by the Home Office of a record figure for serious offences in England and Wales last year, represent-ing an increase of 10 per cent on the previous year.

Too often the argument on law and order degenerated into gibes against hangers and floggers. "Yet it is perfectly possible to have a politically tough-minded approach to the problem of law and order without being in favour of either hanging or flogging.

"What people with some justification are calling for is a more abrasive approach to crime", Crossbow says, giving an immediate pointer to the sort of person it has in mind. In a Prior by a Tebbit. The legislation which the latter has introduced into the trade union field is probably not a great deal different from that which Mr the cri Prior introduced during his victim.

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Yet few can doubt that the style in which the legislation has been presented has had a far more beneficial effect on the Government's standing - the first example of the resolute

The Government must recognize that public disquiet over the rising crime rate could could not be brushed off as being of no importance. "There is much evidence to

suggest that voters are looking to government to being about a change in attitude towards treating crime. This means elevating the feelings and fears of the victim above that of the

The journal says that many senior police officers have come away from meetings with officials at the Home Office frustrated by its obsession with the criminal and neglect of the

### Letter from Paris

### 'Fagin' gypsy gangs plague the Metro

the offences took place in the metro where the miles of interconnecting twisting corri-dors offer a quick and easy

escape.
Gangs of gypsy children of
Yugoslav origin are estimated
by the police to constitute only about 10 per cent of the pickpockets at work in the metro; nevertheless, they are believed to account for about 40 per cent of the takings. Each gang is estimated to steal an average of £500 a day.

"They all say they are twelve and a half", says Mile twelve and a hair, says Mile Nadine Joly, head of the newly-expanded force of some 500 metro police. "That's to be expected, as the law does not apply to them before they are 13. To catch them, you need a lot of puff. They are very nimble, and are as perfectly adapted as parasites to our metro system. Some of to our metro system. Some of them are arrested about 30 times a month under a dozen different names."

The police are impotent. Under the law they are unable to detain a child under the age of 13 for more than a couple of hours if serious crime is not involved. If caught, children claim they can speak only the Roman Gypsy dialect. Their identity, the names of their parents, and where they come from are virtually impossible to ascertain, though establishing their age is becoming easier with the introduction in some police stations of a special X-ray machine that can tell a person's age from his

The police sometimes trace the children back to the wretched camp sites on the outskirts of Paris, where most of the estimated 30,000 gyp-sies in the area live, but their parents can never be found. The adults to whom they return claim simply to be looking after them out of the kindness of the hearts.

Sometimes, among the poverty and squalor, a brand new Mercedes of Porsche can be seen. Those belong to the "Fagins", the ringleaders who train the gangs and take their "booty".

The police recently found a 13-year-old girl wandering the train comes into the metro station and the driver spots the tell-tale groups of recently found a 13-year-old girl wandering semi-conscious and badly bruised in a Metro station. She been explained that she had been kidnapped in Yugoslavia and the tell-tale groups of ragged gypsy children, the plague of misuspecting foreign tourists.

Pickpocketing offences in Paris rose by 58 per cent last year to a total of 30,000, and those are only the ones reported to the police. Half of the offences took rises in the offences in the offenc brought to France by a woman and two men, who had beaten

unsuspecting tourist is typi-cally distracted by a group of little children, some no more than five and six, begging or dancing, or asking for a letter



to be read to them, while an older child takes the money, holding up a newspaper or piece of cardboard to shield his or her thieving hand.

At other times, a pale, ragged mother with a baby in

her arms, holding up a card announcing that her husband is dead, may provide the distraction. Or the tourist may simply find himself being inadvertently bumped into by a group of children. The result is the same, however. and the victim often does not realize what has happened until after the children have

The metro is the gypsy pickpockets' favourite haunt, providing as it does such easy escape routes, but they also operate above ground, wherever tourists are known to

congregate.
"Please do all you can to draw the attention of your readers to the danger of these pickpockets," a spokesman at the Ministry of the Interior said. "The Parisians know about them and are careful to hold onto their wallets and handbags. But the tourists tend to be relaxed and happy to be in Paris in the sunshine. and are therefore less vigil-

Diana Geddes

### THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

### Today's events

Royal engagements The Duke of Edinburgh, President of the English-Speaking Union, attends a reception marking the retirement of the Chairman, Sir Patrick Dean, Dartmouth House, W1, 7.15; as President of the National Playing Fields Association, attends the premiere of Educating Rita at the Leicester Square Theatre London, 8.

Denstone Expedition to Inaccessible New exhibitions

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House, Covent Garden, London, 7.20.

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# The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16.119

1 First essential for divorce (7).

good (7). 9 Chinese from India (5).

11 Singer? Boxer? No, the milk distributor (9). 12 Rise to give the Governor a 13 Was it so risky to have cut

carrots so? (5). 15 Artful Dodger's odd antic when about to perform one? (9). 18 Little warbler grew - needs

19 Test, if this is the dominating 23 Doctor without employment 21 True married sphere (5).

23 Doctor taking on weight of pearly feldspar (9). 25 Estimate is one accepted by artists in dismay (9).

26 Fleece she found by a river (5). With a better text and direction, reformed (7).

28 Greeted by old music-maker in unhappy circumstances (7).

1 Weakened? Refreshed! (7). 2 Departs, proclaimed to be

publicly accused (9). 3 One last letter on a way to get the Pyrenean ibex (5). 4 Talk, uncomfortably remote

with holder of power (9).

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ry, ceramics and metalware, Ran-dolph Gallery, Ashmolean Mu-seum, Oxford: Tues to Sat 10 to 4,

Oueen Elizabeth The Queen
Mother attends a gala opera

Opera Chiltern branches of the Guild

Opera Glass Engravers, Museum

Fool about with an old rustic (5).

Peter is among them in this

séance board (5). Brine evaporator of seaman

Country with gates of horn and

say, Lancelot

7 Franco-German agreement with

16 May gets lots of cuddles (9).

17 A looker-in, at home with dog in

20 Run from danger signal, is

"A goodly — rotten at heart." (Mer of Venice) (5).

24 Rope-maker is up an Indian tree

Solution of Puzzle No. 16,118

was capt in thought (5).

the dry (9).

mocked (7).

Smith or, s Galahad? (7).

### New books – paperback

### Story competition

Watercolours by Ken Messer, Dorchester Galleries, Rotton Row, Dorchester-on-Thames, Oxon; daily 10 to 6 (until May 31). headquarters, 102 Gloucester Place, London W1H 4DH. (Closing date Exhibitions in progress

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Memphis in Edinburgh – Italian
architectural designs, Fruitmarket
Gallery, Market Street, Edinburgh;
Mon to Sat 10 to 5.30, closed Sun;
(until May 21).

From Quill Pen to Microchip –
The Glasgow Herald 1783 to 1983,
People's Palace Museum, Glasgow
Green, Glasgow; Mon to Sat, 10 to
5, Sun 2 to 5; (until Dec).

Work by Gordon Baldwin,
Temple Newsam House, Leeds;
Tues to Sat 1.30 to 5.30; (until May
15).

Treasures from Galleries in the North-west acquired with the help of the National Art Collection Fund, City Art Gallery, Mosley Street, Manchester, Mon to Sat 10 to 6, closed Sun; (until May 23).

Cadbury's National Exhibition of Children's Art, City Art Gallery, Museum Road, Portsmouth; daily 10.30 to 5.30; (until May 17).

Cameras from the late 19th century to 1960. Folk Museum, 99-103 Westgate Street, Głoucester, Mon to Sat 10 to 5, closed Sun; (until May 14).

Last chance to see

Recent aquisitions of paintings, drawings, prints and sculptures, Leicestershire Museum and Art Gallery, New Walk, Leicester; Mon O Sat 10 to 5.30, Sun 2 to 5.30, closed Fri; (until June 5).

Sports Photographer of the Year, RPS National Centre of Photogra-phy. The Octagon, Milsom Street, Bath, Mon to Sat 10 to 4.45, closed Sum; (ends today). Talks, lectures Art and Architecture in Ancient Macedonia by Prof Manolis Andronikos Natural Philosophy Lecture Theatre, Aberdeen University, St Machar Drive, 5.15. London and Paris: Capital Cities

Sutcliffe, Attenborough Lecture Theatre, Lelcester University, 7.30. Music Medieval and Renaissance music by Landini Consort, Arts Hall, University College of Swansea,

of the 19th Century, by A. R.

General Mayfest - International festival of popular theatre and music. Third Eye Centre, 350 Sauchiehall Street, industrial average closed up 6.68 on Friday at 1226.20. Glasgow; until May 14; concert

The Literary Editor's selection of interesting books published this week:
A Cack-handed War, by Edward Blishen (Hamilah Hamilton, 23.95)
A Hundred Years Ago, by Colin Ford & Brian Hamilton, 12.95
Ezra Pound, Selected Letters 1907-1941, edited by D. D. Palge (Faber, 24.95)
Horaca, The Complete Odee and Epodes, translated by W. G. Shep
introduction by Betty Radice (Penguin, 27.95)
Lord of the Dance, by Robin Lloyd-Jones (Arena, 22.50)
Shakespeare's Division of Expertence, by Marilyn French (Abscus, 23.50)
The Gates of Memory, by Geoffrey Kaynes (Oxford, 24.95)
The Last Edwardian at No. 10, by George Hutchineon (Cuartet, 24.95)
The Nicolas Freeling Omnibus (Penguin, 23.95)
Uncommission Entrance, by Edward Blishen (Hamileh Hamilton, 23.95)

High Street, Oxford; Mon to Sat 10 to 5 (from today until June 1).

Paintings by Frederick Brill, Mortis Kestelman & Frederick Gore, Norwich School of Art Gallery, St George Street, Norwich; Mon to Sat 10 to 5, closed San (from today until May 28).

Works on paper by William Gear, Rozelle House Rozelle Park, Ayri Mon to Sat 11 to 5, Sun 2 to 5 (from today until May 29).

Artists and Archaeologists; water-colour paintings, Ficture Gallery, Wittshire Archaeological and Natural History Society, The Museum, 41 Long Street, Devizes, Wilts; Tues to Sat 11 to 1 & 2 to 5; closed Sun & Mon (from today until May 31).

Watercolours by Ken Messer, The British Heart Foundation is three winners in each grouping.

Details and entry forms are available from the Foundation's

for entries is July 22.)

professional facilities.

A video production workshop will be based in London and the

### Parliament today

Commons (2,30): Police and Criminal Evidence Bill, report, firs

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London: The FT Index closed down 1.5 on Friday at 695.3.

New York; The Dow Jones

organizing a story-writing compe-tition for children who have had hospital treatment for a heart defect.
They are invited to submit a story entitled Why I Think it's Great To Be Alive. Entries will judged in two age groupings, 7 to 10 and 11 to 15, and watches will be awarded to

### Video courses

Courses in video production and electronic editing are being arranged by the Royal Television Society for mid-June, suitable for people who mid-June, suitable for people who normally do not have access to

other course is at Warwick University; they are restricted to 20 and 40 applicants respectively and applications should be addressed to the RTS, Tavistock House East.

day.

Lords (2.30): Energy Bill, report.

Social Security and Housing
Benefits Bill, second reading
Debate on American nuclear and

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Roads London and South-east: Tower Bridge raised at 9.05 and 10.10; use London Bridge during morning rush-hour. A13: Roadworks on New Road, Dagenham, and East India Dock Road at Limehouse. M25: Lane closures E of Godstone, Surrey

(junction 6). (junction o).

Midlands and East Anglia: M1:
Only one lane southbound at junction 19 (link with M6). A34:
Temporary lights S of Shipston,
Warwickshire. A46: Roadworks on Bridgefoot gyratory, Stratford on

North: Al: Roadworks on Almwick by-pass, Northumberland. Al70: Temporary lights at Sutton Bank, E of Thirsk, N Yorks, A644: Temporary lights at Huddersfield Road, Mirfield, W Yorks.

Wales and West: M4:Lane closures between junctions 15 and 16 (Swingdon and Chippenham) 16 (Swindon and Chippenham); occasional diversions. A48: Lane closures on Eastern Avenue, Cardiff between Llanedeyra and

Gabaifa. Scotland: M9: Lane closures Scotland: M9: Lane closures between junctions 5 and 7 (Grangemouth and Kincardine Bridge). M90: Lane closures at junction 2 (Dunfermline); diversions. High Street, Edinburgh, closed between St Mary's Street and John Knox House; diversion.

### The papers

According to the Daily Star, a row over the Liberal-SDP Alliance share of party political broadcasts on television could black out all such broadcasts during a June election campaign. "Much more importantly ... our 10-minute brewing-up time is being endangered ... and wives, mothers and teenage daughters" will then have to miss the start of the next programme while they are in the kitchen making tea.

The Daily Express welcomes the The Daily Express welcomes the new Government scheme to

encourage more people to buy their own homes. "Expanding home ownership benefits everyone in everyway, and for this scheme to become a reality only one thing is required: the Tories must win the next election."
The Sun also refers to this schen in its editorial columns: "Solendid news - we will really be a property-

owning democracy. But be warned: Labour have vowed to end this great

house buying spree and your right to buy will be snatched away from you if they win the election."

Anniversaries

Births: Mikhail Bulgakov, writer (new style May 16), Kiev, Ukraine, 1891: Golda Meir, Kiev, 1898. Thomas Hood died in London, 1845.

### Weather forecast

A depression over the North Sea will move away NE.

6 am to midnight London, SE, Central S, SW England, Channel Islands, S Wales: Sunny intervals, showers, perhaps heavy at times; wind NW, moderate; max temp 11 to 13C (52 to 55F).

East Anglia, Midienda, N Walea, NW England, Laice District, isle of Man: Outbreaks of rain, becoming brighter; wind N moderate; max temp 10 to 12C (50 to 54F).

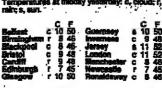
E, Central N, NE England, Boirders, Edinburgh, Dundee, Aberdeen: Cloudy, occasional rain, clearer later; wind N moderate: max temp 8 to 11C (48 to SW, NE, NW Scotland, Glasgow, Central Highlands, Moray Firth, Argyli, Orkney, Shettand, Northern treland: Surnry intervals, isolated showers; wind N, moderata, becoming variable; max temp 8 to 10C (46 to 487).

Outlook for tomorrow and Thursday: Brighter generally with showers; further ain on Thursday; less cold.

SEA PASSAGES: S North Sea, Strait of Dover, English Channel (E): Wind W, fresh or strong; see moderate or rough. St George's Channel, Irish Sea: Wind NW, fresh, becoming moderate; sea moderate, becoming sight. Sun sets: 8.26 pm Moon rises: Moon sets: 2:01 am 9.48 am Last quarter: May 5.

Lighting-up time London 8.56 pm to 4.58 am Bristol 9.08 pm to 5.08 am Edinburgh 9.25 pm to 4.45 am Manchester 9.17 pm to 5.00 am Pezzance 9.13 pm to 5.24 am

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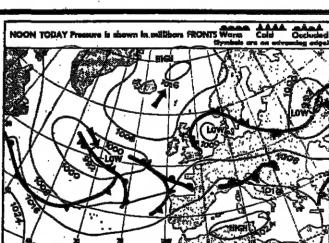


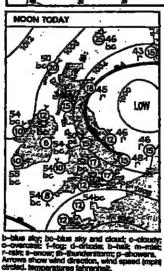
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Highest and lowest Yesterday: Highest day temp: Carrigans, 14C (57F): Jowest day mise: Tynemouth, Newcastie, St. Abb's. Head, 6C (43F): highest reinfalt: Prestatys, 0.22k; highest sunshise: Lerwick, Jersey, 11.2hr.

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